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## WEST CENTRALVILLE

### Is Going to Have Good Electric Car Service

The spur electric car line from Lakeview avenue, through Aiken avenue, Littlefield and Hilliard streets to Hovey square in Dracut, will be in operation just as soon as the tracks can be laid and the poles erected and trolley wires strung, according to information given out this noon by Supt. Thomas Lees of the Boston & Northern Street Railway Co.

The action of the Boston & Northern is a victory for the residents of West Centralville who have been agitating the extension of the electric line in that section of the city.

West Centralville has been built up so rapidly during the past few years that the residents of that section felt that they should be given better rail-way service, for people living in the vicinity of Hilliard street have found that it was out of the way to connect with either the Dracut Centre or Lakeview avenue lines.

The West Centralville Improvement Association of which ex-Alderman John H. Beaulieu is president, has been the prime mover in the agitation and at a hearing recently held before the city council speakers for the association intimated that the Boston & Northern had broken its promise relative to

the extension of the rails.

That West Centralville has become one of the most populous sections of the city goes without saying, while the city council deemed it advisable to erect a few fire houses in that locality.

Supt. Lees, in conversation with a representative of The Sun this noon, stated that the cars would run from the rails at Lakeview avenue, through

the extension of the rails.

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He said that work on the laying of rails and erection of poles and stringing of wires would be started at once and that as soon as the rails and wires were in place cars would be run over the line.

At the present time he is unable to say what cars will be run over the proposed route.

The residents of West Centralville are highly elated over their victory, and as one resident stated to the writer, "The money received by the line will show the Boston & Northern our appreciation of its efforts to give us good service."

### FUNERALS

McSALLY—The funeral of Alice M. McSally took place yesterday afternoon from the home of her parents, 34 First street. The interment was in the Catholic cemetery under the direction of Funeral Directors Charles H. Molley & Sons.

GAGNON—The funeral of Mrs. Joseph Gagnon took place yesterday morning from her home, 52 Ward street, with solemn funeral services at St. Joseph's church. Rev. Fr. V. Berthele, Berthele and Racette, O. M., officiated. The choir, Young Perraute's, accompanied with Frank Gourdeau directing, and Joseph A. Bernard playing the organ. The Cercle d'Youville was represented by Mrs. Victoria Desrochers, Miss D. Desaulniers, Miss P. Demers and Miss Antoinette Pratte. The bearers were Ernest, Alphonse and Theophile Gagnon, Joseph and David Plette and Lazare Ouellette. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery and Rev. Fr. Racette officiated at the grave. Undertaker Joseph Albert had charge.

CANNON—The funeral of the late Mrs. Catherine Cannon took place Tuesday afternoon from her late home, No. 12 Jewett street, and was largely attended. Burial was in the family lot in the Catholic cemetery, where Rev. Fr. Muller of St. Michael's church read the committal services at the grave. Funeral Director James W. McKenna had charge.

MILLS—The body of the late William Arthur Mills of Lowell, was taken to Westford yesterday noon and buried at Fairview cemetery. Deceased is survived by a wife and three children, a mother, Mrs. Hugh Mills, a sister, Mrs. E. A. Carter, and a brother, Herbert Mills of Westford; also a sister, Mrs. Cowdry of Billerica. Deceased was

## PUBLIC LIBRARY

### Broken Into But Nothing of Value Was Taken

The basement of the public library was broken into last Monday night and it is thought that another attempt was made last night or early this morning. The burglar, supposedly a boy, did not succeed in getting away with anything of great value.

Entrance to the basement was made by way of a window between the library and the city hall. A pey was applied to the window, which was forced so as to break the catch. The breaking of the catch admitted the burglar who probably thought that he would be able to make his way to the library rooms up stairs, but in this he

was mistaken. The connecting door was closed and bolted.

The burglar then got busy and pried open a roll-top desk in the reading room. His work did not net him anything and all that is missed by the library people is a whisk broom and a copy of the "New York Clipper."

The broken catch was replaced by another and examination of the new catch this morning disclosed the fact that it had been tampered with.

But why a burglar should attempt to repeat so unsuccessful a raid is a question that is left to him to answer. The matter has been reported to the police.

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## MANY PHYSICIANS

### Summoned in Case at Superior Court Today

Mrs. Sadie Howard, Who Was in a Car Collision While En Route to "Baby Show" Last August, Sues the Boston & Northern for \$20,000

The most formidable array of medical talent that has appeared in any case at this session of the superior court was present this morning in connection with the cases of Sadie E. Howard and Milton Howard vs. Boston & Northern street railway, to recover for personal injuries in the case of Mrs. Howard and loss of services, etc., in the husband's case.

The medical men present were Drs.

Temple and Dugdale who are attending the plaintiff at the present time, and Drs. Meigs, Bell, Mahony, W. A. Johnson and Tabor. Christian Science was also mentioned in the case but had no representative in court.

It is alleged that on August 1, 1909, Mrs. Howard was on a car bound for Lakeview when the car in which she rode collided with another car.

Her counsel admits that she was in delicate health at the time of the accident and that her present condition is not entirely due to the accident but that her ailment has been greatly aggravated by the accident which would not have been a serious one to a person in good health. Mrs. Howard sued for \$20,000 and her husband for \$30,000.

Many will recall the accident as having occurred on the day of the "Baby Show" at Lakeview.

John J. O'Connor of Boston appears for the plaintiff and Messrs. Trull & Wier for the defendant. Mr. Howard is a traveling salesman for the John Pilling Shoe company and the couple live on Wilder street.

Mrs. Howard appeared to be decidedly ill in court and walked with greatest difficulty. This morning at the request of counsel for the defense she was escorted by Drs. Temple and Dugdale to a retiring room, where she was examined by Drs. Meigs and Bell as to her present physical condition. Court took a recess to accommodate the physicians.

Mrs. Howard related the circumstances of the accident, a rear-end collision in Lakeview avenue. Her sister-in-law, Miss Nellie Howard, who accompanied her, testified as to the accident.

Mrs. Howard testified also that her health was poor before the accident and that she had tried several physicians and was improving under Dr. Temple's care when the accident occurred.

Milton Howard, the husband, testified that his wife had been in poor health prior to the accident and that he had tried several physicians and even tried Christian Science. "We gave them all a chance," he said.

Mrs. Davis, a friend of Mrs. Howard for 22 years and who worked with her in Stowell's, in Boston, before Mrs. Howard's marriage, testified as to the great change in Mrs. Howard's physical condition since the accident.

Mrs. Laura A. Reynolds testified that she has been employed as an attendant upon Mrs. Howard for four months. Mrs. Howard, she said, suffered intense and constant pain, particularly at night, and she never rested at night, resting in the morning or during the day. Mrs. Reynolds stated that Mrs. Howard's condition is failing rather than improving. Up to six months ago, she said, she had never seen Mrs. Howard and hence knew nothing of her health or physical condition prior to that time.

Dr. Franklin S. Temple was the first of the medical witnesses. He testified that he was a graduate of the Albany Medical College of Albany, N. Y. He testified that he first met Mrs. Howard in June, 1908, when she came to his office. He attended her at his office six

## BOY DROWNED

### Little George Regis Fell Down Bank

George Regis, aged nine years, son of George Regis of 622 Market street, was drowned in the Pawtucket canal about 5 o'clock last evening, at a point just north of the Moody street bridge.



### LITTLE BOY FALLS INTO THE CANAL AND IS DROWNED

The little fellow was gathering dandelion blossoms with a young companion when he lost his balance and fell over the steep bank of the canal.

The other boy spoke but little English and could not give a clear account of what had happened.

Stephen Rochette, who conducts a garage nearby, and others hearing the boy's screams ran to the canal bank but could not see the body. Mr. Rochette secured a long rope but all he could see were tufts of grass floating on the water, which the boy had clutched in an endeavor to save himself as he fell down the bank.

The boy's father and his uncle, Special Officer John Regis, were notified and were on the scene during the evening but no trace of the body was found. The current at this point is particularly swift and the body was taken under at once.

### DEATHS

STRATTON—Mr. Torrey E. Stratton of 10 Coral street died yesterday afternoon after a short illness, aged 73 years. Deceased was one of Lowell's oldest residents, having lived here for more than 50 years. He leaves a wife and one daughter, Mrs. F. A. Wileox of Newtonville. He was a member of Union North Lodge A. F. & A. M.

SMITH—James F. Smith, aged 41 years, familiarly known as "Bob" Smith, died today at his home, 242 Broadway. He was a well known member of St. Patrick's parish. He leaves a mother, Ellen Smith; a wife, Mary A.; one brother, Thomas E., and a sister, Mary I.



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## TWO AUTOISTS FINED

### Officers Caught Them in a 100 Foot Trap

And Testified That They Were Going Fifteen Miles an Hour — Somerville CaseAppealed— Other Cases Disposed of

Alfred E. Hovey, chauffeur for Willis Farrington of this city, and John D. Blunt, colored, chauffeur for Henry L. Crane of Somerville, were each fined \$15 in police court this morning after (Judge Hadley) was trying the case and (Judge Hadley) then shifted over to another phase of the question, stating that he would try the case on the facts as to whether the defendant was guilty or not. He stated that he was instrumental in the framing of the automobile laws and was well versed in them and that the intent of the law was that the driver should operate his car in a reasonable, sensible and sane way.

In conclusion, he said that the government did not show that the defendant was driving in the unreasonable manner and asked for his discharge.

The court, however, took a different view of the case and found the defendant guilty and ordered him to pay a fine of \$15. An appeal was taken and Mr. Blunt was held under \$200 for his appearance before the superior court.

Another Chauffeur Fined

Alfred E. Hovey, chauffeur for Willis Farrington of this city, was also fined \$15 for overspeeding. He was caught in the Moody street trap on Sunday, April 24, and was ordered to appear in court last week, but owing to the fact that shortly after he had been summoned into court he took himself a wife, the court allowed that there was sufficient reason for his case being continued.

Inspectors Fox and Dwyer, who operated the trap, testified to the effect that the defendant was traveling at the rate of between 13 and 15 miles an hour.

The defendant said that he was running his machine very slowly, he had the clutch out and the brake was on, and thought he was going at the rate of about five miles an hour. He said that he was following a wagon through the street and could not have been going very fast.

He was found guilty and a fine of \$15 imposed.

### Drunken Offenders

James M. Harding and his wife, Catherine, appeared before the court on charges of drunkenness. Each entered a plea of guilty and the woman was sentenced to two months in the house of correction at Cambridge, while her husband was sentenced to five months at the same institution, the latter having been under a suspended sentence of five months in jail.

Emma Parent, while under the influence of liquor last night, entered a shoe shining shop in Middlesex street and raised a disturbance. She was allowed to escape with a fine of \$5.

Stephen Ferris was given a suspended sentence of four months in jail.

William Jowett was sentenced to jail for ten days and one first offender was fined \$2.

### Case Continued

The case of Patrick H. Sullivan, of Tewksbury, charged with failing to provide for the support of his minor child, had his case continued till May 12 at the request of Lawyer Nathan D. Pratt who informed the court that he thought that an agreement between the parties would be reached in the meantime.

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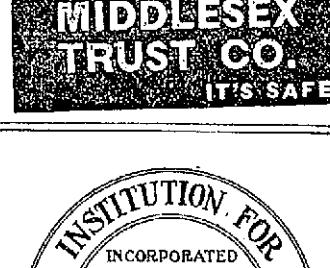
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# TEACHERS' BANQUET

## New Organization Gathers Around the Festive Board

Address Given by Dr. David Snedden, State Commissioner of Education—Supt. Whitcomb, Dr. Lamoreux and Sec. Warren P. Riordan—200 Teachers Attended Banquet

The recently organized Teachers' Association of this city held its first banquet in Prescott Hall last night with a party of 200 around the tables, members of the school board, and the speakers of the occasion being the special guests.

The Teachers' organization was formed for purposes of co-operation along social and educational lines and its first event proved to be a complete success.

Miss Belle F. Bachelder, president of the organization, presided over the banquet. Rev. B. F. Willmott invoked the divine blessing. There were vocal solos by James E. Donnelly, Miss Josephine Coburn, accompanist, and selections by Hibbard's orchestra.

Supt. Whitcomb

Miss Batchelder introduced as the first speaker Supt. A. K. Whitcomb, his subject being "The Importance of Social Intercourse." He first congratulated the teachers on the success of the entertainment, and then spoke in part as follows:

"Socrates, you may remember, once held a long discussion with his disci-

would be immeasurably enriched, who would be made happier, as well as more useful, by acquaintance and friendship."

"And this is why I especially rejoice in this meeting. I commend the public and professional spirit with which you planned it. I am delighted that it should succeed so well, and I hope it will be the beginning of many gatherings of this and of other kinds which will promote the social intercourse on which so much of your happiness and your usefulness depends."

Dr. Lamoreux

Dr. J. E. Lamoreux, chairman of the school board, spoke on "The Importance of Intellectual Growth." Mayor Methan was unable to attend and in his place he sent his secretary, Warren P. Riordan, who addressed the company.

Dr. Snedden's Address

The address of the evening on "The Importance of Organization" was delivered by Dr. David Snedden, commissioner of education for Massachusetts. Dr. Snedden spoke in part as follows:

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The final speaker was Dr. David Snedden, state commissioner of education for Massachusetts, and his subject was "The Importance of Organization." He said in part:

"I once heard the witty Bishop Montgomery, at a teachers' meeting in Los Angeles remark that it reminded him of the kingdom of heaven, because the women were in such vast majority. What is true of this gathering tonight is as we know coming to be more or less true of the profession which we represent. The men are steadily—in some cases rapidly—disappearing from the American teaching profession. It is coming to be a woman's profession; perhaps apart from home-making, the most occupied and the greatest profession into which women are going.

"This is true not only in this country, but in England, and in France also, the number of men is diminishing; and in Germany, several thousands of women have been introduced into places that hitherto have been supposed to be preempted by men."

"All sorts of reasons are assigned from time to time, as to why this great, fundamental change is taking place. At the bottom, the relative disappearance of men and the monopolization of the profession by women is largely concurrent with the rising standards in the teaching profession;

say this without any attempt to be derogative of the men who have followed the teaching profession as a career. The simple fact is that the American public has been engaged for a good many years in elevating the requirements made on teachers. The teaching profession could be filled with men at \$50 a month. If the standards were lowered enough to permit the employment of men of that stamp,

"Of course every one who studies the educational situation, knows that things are improving. Salaries are going up—taking the country at large, and the character of those entering the work, in respect to professional training, is steadily improving. The consequence is that the type of person demanded cannot be procured among not those who are to take up, more men, for the compensation offered, and more, the teaching profession, are.

"Therefore, teaching being woman's best profession, and only man's 20th, perhaps, the profession has come to be supported by the progressive evolution of more and more a woman's profession.

"I am not here to complain of that situation of affairs, nor to eulogize among them that are to take up, more men, for the compensation offered, and more, the teaching profession, are.

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country, they constitute upwards of 50 per cent, to be reiterates again and again, that public education is evolving, that the demands made upon educators—men and women—today, are steadily increasing. More and more, the work must rest upon scientifically demonstrated principles. More and

may come a time when the intelligent, sensible layman, is a better judge of text books than the casual laborers who are employed as teachers; but if your work and mine, teachers' standards that are worth while, is not evident, that you and I should be more competent to choose the text books than are the laymen?"

"At this point the speaker was interrupted, by applause, and he explained that, if there was any local application in his reference, he was unconscious of the fact.

"He then continued: "If the primary teachers of a community have not reached that state of educational and political attainment that they insist on, saying what must be the tools that they will use in their work, that speaks badly for the primary teachers, or for the community in which they are working."

"On the basis of the broader view, we must evolve from our own midst the standards that will convince those who employ us that we know what we are doing."

"By the organization of homogeneous clubs, nothing will become apparent sooner than that you have greatly multiplied your strength, and the temptation will come, to exploit the rest of the world. In this connection, the teacher must remember two things: first, that we are members not of a trade, but of a profession, and there are certain obligations attaching to a profession that do not attach to a trade. The second, is that they are members of a public, as opposed to a private service; and that as public servants, they have certain obligations which to a large extent, deprive them of certain opportunities for concerted action that may be entirely legitimate on the part of those who are members of a private service."

"While we are raising the standards, we must also preserve the democratic character of the profession. Any development of public education that would be achieved at the expense of its democratic character, would be in the long run fatal to the evolution of that education."

"In closing, Dr. Snedden complimented the teachers upon the character of the entertainment provided by the organization.

"Votes of thanks were given to the social committee, and to the speakers of the evening, after which the meeting adjourned.

"At the conclusion of the address the speakers were tendered a vote of thanks, after which the meeting adjourned.

K. OF C.

TO ATTEND SACRED HEART CHURCH NEXT SUNDAY

The Burke Temperance Institute will be the guests of the Knights of Columbus on Thursday evening at the rooms, when a tournament of 45° will be held.

The Knights have a good reputation as experts at the game and the visitors will endeavor to prove themselves superior. There will be ten teams from each society, three men on a team, and there should be some excitement.

Sunday, May 8, at the 8 o'clock mass the council will receive holy communion at the Sacred Heart church, and it is expected that a large number will be on hand. On account of the church being in a distant part of the city, there will be special cars leave the square at 7:15, arriving at the church in time for mass.

After the mass there will be a breakfast service at the school hall on Moore street, for the members, and a reception tendered the worthy chaplain, Rev. T. Wade Smith, O. M. I. In recognition of his recent promotion.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS

The committee on lands and buildings, Ald. Qna chairman, met at the city hall this afternoon at 1 o'clock and went on a tour of inspection of buildings where improvements have been asked.

The public hall commission and the special committee on public hall, appointed by the city government, will meet at 8 o'clock this evening.

A meeting of the park commission is scheduled for 7:30 o'clock tomorrow night.

The board of charities will meet tomorrow night.

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## MAN WAS KILLED

Auto Bumped Into Telegraph Pole

at Milford, Conn.

MILFORD, Conn., May 4.—One man was killed and another badly hurt this morning when an automobile running at a rapid rate along New Haven avenue in an easterly direction bumped into a telegraph pole and was demolished. Two other men were in the car, but were uninjured. The dead man is supposed to have been Joseph O'Brien of Bridgeport.

The man who was hurt refused to give his name or any information about himself and refused to be removed to a hospital. He directed that he be taken to a hotel in Bridgeport.

He has a broken leg and minor bodily injuries. Two other occupants of the car suffered little by being thrown from the car when it struck the pole.

They also refused to give any information. Coroner Mix of New Haven has been notified.

The wrecked machine is said to have been racing with another which disappeared after the accident.

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### LADIES' WRAPPERS

# TWENTY FIVE YEARS Of Activity by Lowell Cooperative Bank Celebrated by Banquet

The Lowell Co-operative bank celebrated the 25th anniversary of its organization last night at the banking rooms on the top floor of the Central block with a banquet. That the bank has been a success from the start and that each succeeding year has found it on a firmer basis than the previous years is a well known fact, and during the course of the address last night a history of the institution was given.

The feature of the occasion was the presentation of a beautiful loving cup to Artemas B. Woodworth, who has been president of the bank since it was organized.

There were about 36 who gathered around the festive board and besides the excellent menu served by the D.L. Peabody Co., music was furnished by a Victor phonograph under the direction of John H. Colwell of M. Steinert & Sons Co.

After the menu had been discussed, Francis H. Appleton introduced Artemas B. Woodworth, the man who is the first and present president of the Lowell Cooperative bank.

Mr. Woodworth was greeted with applause as he arose to speak. He referred to his 25 years' service as president of the bank. He spoke in a reminiscent manner of the early years of its institution. He claimed that the Co-operative bank had justified itself by its help to the home builder of the American nation.

The next speaker was Daniel Eldridge of Boston. He was introduced as the dean of co-operative bankers in Massachusetts. After a few humorous remarks aimed at W. D. Brown, the

speaker told of the struggle to get the legislature to pass the bill permitting the establishment of the cooperative banks. This was in April 1882, and considering the great growth of such banks in this state he said he felt justly proud of his part in it.

#### History of the Bank

Secretary William D. Brown then gave an interesting history of the Lowell Co-operative bank. In part as follows:

"The first suggestion regarding a co-operative bank in Lowell was undoubtedly made by Mr. Stephen R.

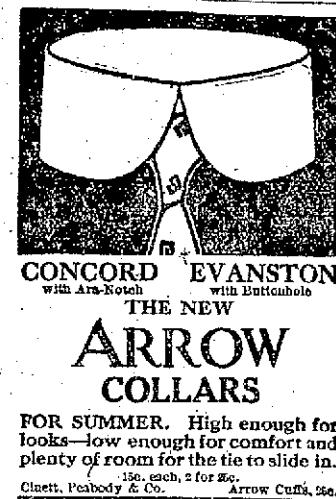
Kitchen, who has been vice president of our bank for the entire 25 years of its history.

"The Lowell Co-operative bank was organized April 23, 1885, and commenced business May 14, 1885, with an authorized capital of \$1,000,000.

"The officers elected at that time were: President, Artemas B. Woodworth; vice president, Stephen R. Kitchen; secretary, George W. Batchelder; treasurer, George E. McCall; directors, John Dobson, Thomas Collins, Albert N. Wheeler, James E. White, James D. Hartwell, Joseph M. Wilson, Joseph L. Sargent, Enos O. Kingsley, Charles T. Rowland, George W. Brothers, Edwin S. Blackford, Robert Simpson, William A. Wright, James Murkland and E. Garfield Baker. Of this number five have died, viz: William A. Wright, John Dobson, Albert N. Wheeler, James E. White and Enos O. Kingsley.

"In the 25 years of its history the Lowell Co-operative bank has been regularly and steadily successful in the purposes for which it was organized. It has done much in the way of teaching the people how to save their money systematically and wisely. It has inculcated in the hearts of many a desire to own their own homes, and it has been of untold value in assisting them to accomplish this object.

"Starting with comparatively few shareholders and small assets, in the



they have certainly been conservative, honest and economical, and the result is known."

Another good feature about our bank I might mention before closing is that it contributes to the welfare of the people of Lowell by loaning its money all in this immediate vicinity. We have very few loans on property located outside a four mile radius of the city hall. We have always been able to sell all the shares we care to sell, and as a rule have readily loaned all our money at good rates of interest. It is with no little satisfaction that we refer again to the homes that our books show have been paid for through the medium of this bank and we rejoice in the motto that has been adopted by the co-operative banks of the country and to the real meaning of which they are contributing so much that is practical and durable. "The American Home, the Safeguard of American Liberty."

It was at this point that one of the most interesting events of the evening occurred. J. Warren Bailey, president of the State Co-operative Bank, arose, and after making interesting remarks relative to the local bank, presented President Woodworth with a handsome loving cup and cut glass dish, given him as a mark of appreciation from his associates in the management of the bank.

Mr. Woodworth, though taken wholly by surprise, responded in a brief and appropriate manner.

The cup is inscribed "Artemas B. Woodworth, from the directors of the Lowell Co-operative Bank, May 3, 1910."

Concluding speeches were given by Fisher H. Pearson and W. M. Sherwell of the other co-operative banks in

the city.

The invited guests included men who

have been prominent in co-operative bank affairs in the state and city. They

were Daniel Eldridge of Boston, "The plowman" of co-operative bankers; J.

Warren Bailey of Boston, president of

the West Somerville Co-operative bank

and William M. Sherwell, president of

the Middlesex Co-operative bank, and

Fisher H. Pearson, president of the B.

Butler Co-operative bank of Lowell.

Letters were read from Bank Com-

mmissioner Arthur B. Chipin, ex-Gov.

John Q. A. Brackett and Austin K. Chadwick of the Five Cent Savings

Bank of Lowell.

Those present were: Warren F. San-

born, Southwell Farrington, George C. Osgood, Lawrence Cummings, E. J. Larachelle, Jessie H. Shepard, Frank J. Simonds, Natt H. Hutchins, John Taylor, Alice D. Brown, William H. Penn, Walter E. Guyette, Charles C. Drew, Henry Robson, Caleb L. Smith, J. M. Kingsbury, W. M. Sherwell, Fisher H. Pearson, Stanley E. Qua, Charles H. McIntire, John Kearny, E. Appleton, John Gulline, Stephen R. Kitchen, J. Warren Bailey, Daniel Eldridge, Artemas B. Woodworth, Wm. D. Brown, Thomas Collins, E. S. Blackford, George H. Taylor, John Kerr and Robert F. Marden.

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# WOLFGANG MADE GOOD

## New Pitcher Gave Good Account of Himself

Wolfgang, the ex-Boston National, recently purchased at a goodly figure by Manager Gray, made his first appearance in a Lowell uniform yesterday and in a very short time convinced some several hundred fans that Mr. Gray had bought something.

Wolfgang allowed only six hits and kept them so scattered that they were harmless. He fielded his position faultlessly and much better than most pitchers while at the bat he was there with a single.

One base was Merk Morse from the St. Louis Nationals. Morse fielded his position surely but he did nothing at the bat. Walter Foye, the Lowell player, appeared on the coach line in a Lowell uniform. Stone went behind the bat and played the position well while Huston took a rest.

Umpire Langan made his first appearance and satisfied the fans that as an umpire none of the N. E. league indicator-workers have anything on the little man with the big voice. Langan is the best man on balls and strikes that has been here this season and he runs the game along without delay.

First Inning

There was some class to the first inning from a Lowell standpoint, for while the visitors were retired in one, two, three, the local players knocked Girard out of the box and scored three runs.

Cargo, the first man up for the visitors, fled to Jones. Metz fled to Boultes and Stremer hit to Boultes and was out at first.

In the latter half of the inning Fitzpatrick opened with a foul by Daum. Campbell hit to left field for a two bagger and Fluharty followed with a base on balls. Magee cracked the ball out to right field and Stoval allowed it to go by him and Campbell and Fluharty scored. Stone singled to center field and Magee scored. At this point Girard was taken out of the box and Smith took his place. Jones struck out and Morse hit to Logan and was out at first.

Score—Lowell 3, Lynn 0.

Second Inning

The visitors scored a run in the second inning but Lowell failed to make a tally. Burg hit to Campbell and died at first. Logan drew a free pass and Stoval hit to Fitz and was retired at first. Daum, who formerly played with Lowell, hit one too hot for Fitz to handle and Logan scored. Daum hit to Boultes and was out at first.

In the latter half of the inning Boultes drew a base on balls and went to second on Wolfgang's sacrifice. Fitz singled and Boultes went to third, but Fitz was nailed while trying to steal second. Campbell was third out on a fly to Stoval.

Score—Lowell 3, Lynn 1.

Third Inning

In the third inning Smith hit to Campbell and was out at first. Cargo sent a grounder to Fitz and failed to reach first, while Metz fled to Boultes.

In Lowell's half Fluharty hit to Cargo and was out at first and Magee followed with a base on balls but was thrown out while trying to steal second. Stone was third out on a fly to Stremer.

Score—Lowell 3, Lynn 1.

Fourth Inning

Stremer hit to Wolfgang and was thrown out at first. Burg was given a base on balls. Logan foul fled to Campbell, who made a pretty running catch. Burg stole second but overrunning the base was tagged out by Fitz.

Jones fled to Stremer and Morris struck out. Boultes singled, but Wolfgang fled to Cargo.

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Fifth Inning

In the fifth inning Stoval hit to Wolfgang and was out at first. Daum struck out and Daum singled to center field but Smith was third out on strikes.

Lowell got two more runs in the fifth. Fitz opened with a single and Campbell hit to Daum and was out at first. Fluharty, batting left handed, had two strikes called on him. He suddenly shifted to right hand batting and the first ball sent over his head out to left field for three bases scoring Fitz. Magee singled to right field scoring Fluharty. Stone knocked a fly to right field but Stoval instead of trying to catch it in the air got it on the bounce and Magee was thrown out at second. Stone being safe at first, Jones got a scratch single over second base, but Morse hit to Logan and was out at first.

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Sixth Inning

In the sixth inning Stoval hit to Wolfgang and was out at first. Daum struck out and Daum singled to center field but Smith was third out on strikes.

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Seventh Inning

Stoval was the first man up in the seventh and hitting a grounder to Fitz was out at first. Daum struck out and Daum hit to Fitz and was out at first. With the bases filled and but one man out in the later half of the inning Lowell failed to score. Fluharty, the first man up, struck out. Magee singled and Stone and Jones drew bases on balls, filling the bases. Morris, the new man, struck out and Boultes went out. Smith to Metz.

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Eighth Inning

Cargo opened the eighth with a single. Metz hit to Wolfgang, forcing cargo at second. Stremer fled to Morris and Burg followed with a single by third base. Logan hit to Campbell, making his third hit, it being a single to left field. Campbell hit to Logan and was out at first.

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Ninth Inning

Cargo hit to Wolfgang, forcing cargo at second. Stremer fled to Morris and Burg followed with a single by third base. Logan hit to Campbell, covering the base. Stremer hit to Wolfgang and Smith was thrown out at the plate. Burg fled to Magee and was third out.

Score—Lowell 5, Lynn 1.

AMERICAN LEAGUE RESULTS

At Philadelphia—Philadelphia 2, Boston 0.

At Chicago—Detroit 3, Chicago 0.

At New York—Washington 8, New York 5.

At St. Louis—St. Louis—Cleveland game, postponed. Cold weather.

At Boston—Boston—Philadelphia game, postponed. Cold weather.

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At Lowell—Lowell 5, Lynn 1.

At New Bedford—Fall River 3, New Bedford 3.

At Worcester—Worcester 8, Brockton 1.

At Haverhill—Lawrence 6, Haverhill 3.

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COLLEGE GAMES

Harvard vs. Virginia University at Cambridge.

Yale vs. Wesleyan at New Haven.

Cornell vs. Williams at Ithaca.

Princeton vs. Penn State at Princeton.

Brown vs. Cushing's Academy at Providence.

Harvard vs. Vermont University at Worcester.

Yale vs. Maine University at Orono, Me.

LYNN

ab r b h p a e

Cargo, ss 4 0 2 3 2 0 0  
Metz, 1b 4 0 0 7 0 0 0  
Stremer, lf 4 0 2 2 1 0 0  
Logan, 3b 3 1 0 2 3 1 0 0  
Stoval, rf 4 0 0 1 1 0 0 0  
Daum, c 3 0 1 8 2 0 0 0  
Girard, p 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0  
Smith, p 3 0 1 0 1 0 0 0  
Totals .31 1 6 24 9 1

LOWELL

ab r b h p a e  
Flitzpatrick, 2b 5 1 3 0 4 2 0 0  
Campbell, 3b 5 1 1 0 0 0 0 0  
Fluharty, rf 3 1 0 0 0 0 0 0  
Magee, lf 3 1 0 2 5 1 0 0  
Stone, c 3 0 1 1 2 0 0 0  
Jones, c 4 0 0 1 1 0 0 0  
Morse, 1b 4 0 0 1 1 0 0 0  
Wolfgang, p 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0  
Totals .33 5 13 27 15 0  
Lowell 3 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1  
Lynn 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 1

Two base hits—Campbell, Three base hits—Fluharty. Hits—Off Girard 3 in 1-3 innings off Stone in 7-8-3 innings.

By Lowell 10, by Lynn 10. Two base hits—Wolfgang. Left on bases 1. Two base hits—Girard 1; by Wolfgang 2; by Smith 4. First base on errors—by Lowell 1. Struck out—By Wolfgang 4; by Smith 6. Time—1:44. Umpire—Langan.

DIAMOND NOTES

Gone South.

No home games until Monday.

Wolfgang looks fine.

Little Ubie Daum who once escaped to be a pitcher, by the grace of Al Winn, is now playing first base for Lynn, while the next batter in the line-up is Gus Daum. Between Daum and Daum it's Daum or Daum hard to keep from making a mistake in scoring.

Well, we have two pitchers of whom we're sure, Tyler and Wolfgang.

The new first baseman looks the part.

Brother Magee of the Philadelphia Nationals occupied a seat on the Lowell players' bench, and Brother Jimmie in honor of the occasion banged out three hits.

The fans have been making all sorts of stabs at Boultes' name, and yesterday a voice was heard saying: "Now, Boultes, oh boy, lace her out!" When in doubt call him "Jake."

That busy little fellow with the internal machine was "Clara" Beckwith, the clever and popular artist-photographer of the Lynn Daily Item.

A crew of workmen started in at Spalding park to change the diamond from skin to grass and the work will be completed before the boys return.

A grass diamond is more pleasing to the eye, better for the game and less dusty.

The new white home uniforms have arrived and are beauties. Henceforth the team will appear in white at home and in gray on the road. A whole case of new bats also arrived yesterday.

Fluharty, Lowell's heavy hitting out-fielder may be out of the game for a few days. A few days ago he received a cut on the forehead of his right hand and treated it himself. Yesterday the entire hand began to swell and toward the end of the game he could hardly grip the bat. He consulted a surgeon last evening.

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Fluharty up to today has a batting average of .441. That's for nine games.

Lowell had a clean error column yesterday. Sakes alive!

Lowell's new first baseman is Morse, not Morris.

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING

Won Lost P.C.

Philadelphia 8 1 65.7  
Detroit 8 2 54.9  
Cleveland 8 3 57.7  
New York 6 5 58.3  
Boston 7 5 46.7  
Chicago 5 6 51.5  
Washington 6 6 45.5  
St. Louis 6 9 37.5  
Totals 3 27.3

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING

Won Lost P.C.

Pittsburgh 8 3 72.7  
New York 5 4 61.7  
Philadelphia 8 4 60.7  
Chicago 7 5 58.3  
Cincinnati 5 6 51.5  
Brooklyn 5 10 22.3  
Boston 4 10 30.8  
St. Louis 4 10 28.6

N. E. LEAGUE STANDING

Won Lost P.C.

New Bedford 7 2 77.8  
Lawrence 5 3 62.5  
Fall River 5 4 55.6  
Worcester 4 5 50.0  
Lynn 4 5 33.4  
Haverhill 3 6 37.5  
Brooklyn 1 6 14.3

N. E. LEAGUE RESULTS

At Lowell—Lowell 5, Lynn 1.

At New Bedford—Fall River 3, New Bedford 3.

At Worcester—Worcester 8, Brockton 1.

At Haverhill—Lawrence 6, Haverhill 3.

BOY IS MISSING

HE LEFT HIS HOME IN MANOMET

ON APRIL 22

BOSTON, May 4.—Search is being made for Sumner E. Sampson, the 15-year-old son of Elvista B. and Mary D. Sampson of Manomet, who left his parents' farm Friday, April 22, and has not since been seen.

The boy is described as looking older than his 15 years. He has blue eyes,

dark hair and is of medium height.

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# THE INCOME TAX

## Was a Subject of Debate in the Legislature

BOSTON, May 4.—The house yesterday spent nearly all day, after running through the calendar, in debating the income tax amendment to the federal constitution. The question came on the motion by Mr. Riley of Malden to substitute his resolve favoring the amendment for an adverse report of the committee on federal relations.

Those who spoke for the bill yesterday were Riley and Dean, Democrats; Charles R. Brown of Medford, chairman of the committee on federal relations, led the fight against the Riley resolve. He was assisted by Bean of Woburn, republican.

At the time of adjournment Mr. Dean was talking. Debate was re-

sumed at the morning session of the house today.

Rep. Riley spoke for 45 minutes, declaring that the question is the most important, coming before the legislature in a generation.

He declared that up to 1855 congress had the power to levy an income tax, and exercised it for years, but in that year it was wiped out by a court decision, leaving this the only nation in the civilized world without that power.

He said the chief argument thus far advanced against the proposition is that Massachusetts would pay in such a tax more than she would receive, and that she should keep the tax for herself. Answering the argument, he said the function of government is to protect property, and if Massachusetts has more property to protect should be willing to pay more for the protection, because it costs more.

He described at length the message written by Gov. Hughes against the law, and pointed out that the governor dealt with only one phase of the matter, which is a minor one.

**Brown in Opposition**

Mr. Brown of Medford, opposing the

income tax, said it may be true that the rich as a class are not bearing their just share of the country's burden, but the suggestion does not contain the remedy, because, in his opinion, such a tax would only add to the burden of the poorer class.

Stripped of its political aspects and considered only on its merits, he believed there would be little agitation for the bill, and charged that its passage by congress was only a concession of the western states in return for votes for the tariff bill.

He showed that Massachusetts' contribution to such a tax would be entirely out of proportion to her representation in congress, the logical result being that Massachusetts money will be used for extravagant expenditures in other states.

He said his committee favors the principle of an income tax, but believes it should be conserved to the uses of this commonwealth.

Mr. Bean of Woburn pointed out that congress now has the right to levy an income tax provided it is distributed among the states according to population, but as long as states having but one-sixth of the population have a majority of the national senate, Massachusetts should oppose any attempt to take her wealth for the benefit of others.

Mr. Dean of Wakefield favored the tax and declared that had the government not had the power to levy it at that time of the Civil war there might have been a different story to tell of that war.

**Labor Bills Put Over**

In the senate yesterday all of the labor bills were again postponed for various reasons.

On motion of Senator Teeling of Boston, the Tinkham "peaceful picketing" bill was postponed till today because Senator Russ of New Bedford was absent; on motion of Senator Mahoney the "eight-hour" bill was put over till today because Senator Turtle was absent; on motion of Senator Mulligan the "seamen's union" bill went over till today owing to the absence of the same senator.

The Canning K. of L. eight hour bill had to be postponed also and the "trade union fines" bill was put over, too.

Senator White of the Cape" asked unanimous consent to change the postponement of the Cape Cod canal bill from Monday next till tomorrow. Senator Mahoney objected and the motion failed.

**Reject Milk Bill**

The senate rejected the "pasteurized milk" bill after Senator Mellen of Brookfield had made a statement in reply to Senator Parker of Boston that the committee on agriculture unani-

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## THE AUTO LAW

Is to be Enforced in Nashua

Don't Investigate Merrimack

The committee on public health reported leave to withdraw on petition of Arthur L. Nason that the state board of health be given authority and control of the sanitary condition of the Merrimack.

## BOATS COLLIDED

Accident Occurred Off Cape Cod

PROVIDENCE, R. I., May 4.—A rumor reached here early today that two steamers had been in collision somewhere off Cape Cod and that passengers of one vessel were being taken off by the other boat. Word was sent out by wireless to intercept the wrecking tug Taso, half way between Providence and New London, to turn back and give assistance. The name of one of the steamers was mentioned as the Santure a freight steamer which left Boston for New York yesterday.

Word of this collision reached here through Captain Scott of the Scott Wrecking Co. at New London, Conn. He said he had received word to send out one of his vessels, the Taso, to give assistance to two steamers which had been in collision. As the Taso was at sea, an attempt was made to reach her through the Point Judith wireless station. Interference with wireless communication had been very pronounced all night.

Captain Scott did not tell where the message came from in the first place. As an instance of the trouble the wireless operators were having last night the naval wireless station at Newport was unable for some time to get into communication with its nearest wireless neighbor at Point Judith. At first it was thought that the rumor was a "wireless fake" but the name of the Santure and the Taso are not familiar to even the keenest of amateurs.

## VETERAN FIREMEN

DID NOT SELECT DATE FOR ANNUAL MUSTER

BOSTON, May 4.—The selection of the date and place for the annual muster of the New England Firemen's league, usually the chief business of the May meeting, was not decided yesterday at the session held in the Faneuil Hall building.

A committee of three was appointed from the floor after a spirited discussion lasting nearly two hours, to name the day and location. The committee is made up of Capt. John H. Barber of Central Falls, R. I., Capt. H. H. Wilcox of Taunton and M. F. Cavanaugh of Roxbury.

A representative of the Fall River association declared that his organization had pledges from the business men of that city for \$2200. During the discussion Fall River appeared to be the favorite location.

The Indian Orchard association withdrew its application for withdrawal from the league. No action was taken on the application of the Boston association for withdrawal from the league.

**A QUIET MARRIAGE**

LINCOLN, N.H., May 4.—Mrs. Ruth Bryan Leavitt, eldest daughter of William J. Bryan was quietly married yesterday to Lieutenant Reginald A. Owen of the Royal engineer corps of the British army, stationed in Jamaica. Only members of the family witnessed the ceremony.

The rooms were decorated with palms, Easter lilies and vases of the valley. Mr. and Mrs. Owen left for Jamaica, the route not being definitely determined in advance.

The bridegroom is 26 years of age. He is the son of T. C. Owen, a business man of London. His mother is not living. Mr. Owen took the examination and entered the engineering branch of the British government service at Jamaica, and according to the government rules, will not be recalled to the mother country until after completing a term of three years.

Ruth Bryan was first married nearly seven years ago, when 18 years of age to William Homer Leavitt, an artist nearly twice her age. She got a divorce from Leavitt in March, 1909, with absolute custody of their two children. The children are now in Germany.

## VOTE TO STRIKE

NEW HAVEN, Conn., May 4.—The polling of the telegraphers of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Co. on the question of striking because the road has refused to grant an increase of wages, was completed last night. The vote was not officially counted, owing to the non-arrival of an official of the union, but it is understood that 98 per cent of the votes were in favor of such a course. It is also understood that the New Haven company will make a stand in the case of the telegraphers and will not grant their demands.

## CARD OF THANKS

The undersigned wish to express their heartfelt thanks to the many friends who so generously lent their assistance in their recent bereavement, also to those who sent floral offerings.

W. A. Hornby and family  
W. A. Hornby and family

Lowell, Wednesday, May 4, 1910

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Swiss and Nainsook Allovers, 22 inches wide. Regular value 75c, \$1.00, \$1.50 a yard, at 50c, 75c, \$1.00 yard

East Section

Centre Aisle

## Our Annual May Plant Sale

### OPENS TOMORROW

Two new growers will contribute their hot house products to the Avenue Stands this season. We expect the plants to be far better than ever before and we'll have a much larger selection for you.

Geraniums (all colors), Rose Geraniums, Heliotrope, Salvia, Begonias, Lobelia, Lemon Verbena, Marguerite or White Daisies, and Rock Roses

10c Each

Vine Vine or Periwinkle

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Pansies

15c per Basket; 2 for 25c

For Sale in the Avenue

### SPECIAL PRICES FOR THE FIRST MAY THURSDAY'S SELLING OF

## Ladies' Hosiery

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Ladies' Shaped Jersey Vests, low neck, short sleeves, all sizes, slightly imperfect, for 25c quality, only

19c

Ladies' Jersey Shaped Vests, low neck, sleeveless, for 25c quality, only

19c

Ladies' Shaped Union Suits, low neck, sleeveless, lace trimmed pants, for 50c quality, only

29c

Ladies' Jersey Ribbed Pants, lace trimmed, for 25c quality, only

19c

Ladies' Gauze Silk Lisle Hose, double toe and heel, for 25c quality, only

19c a pair

Ladies' Black Boot Lace Hose, full fashioned, double sole, for 38c quality, only

25c a pair

Ladies' Tan Boot Lace Hose, full fashioned, double sole, for 38c quality, only

25c a pair

West Section

Left Aisle

## Basement Bargain Dept.

Tomorrow, Thursday Morning

### Annual Sale of

## BED SPREADS

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Sworn to by John H. Harrington, proprietor, Martin H. Reidy, business manager, and Alfred Pilotti, pressman, of The Sun, before me, January 1, 1910. J. JOSEPH HENNESSY, Notary Public.

This is by far the largest average circulation of any newspaper in Lowell.

The world will wonder why Lowell will not hold any great auto race this year. It would take too long to explain.

The talk about Theodore Roosevelt recommending William Loeb for governor to succeed Governor Hughes seems too ridiculous to believe and yet it is distinctly Rooseveltian.

Charles J. Glidden, formerly of Lowell but now of general aero fame, is officiating as sky pilot for people who aspire to fly to the heavens if they can get there in no other way.

If the new arrangement for the selection of text books will put a stop to arbitrary, unintelligent, needless and expensive changes as we believe it will, then for that the school board deserves credit. The schools will be saved the infliction and the taxpayers the expense.

Fortunately but few of the threatened strikes occurred on May Day. Fortunately also the threatened milk strike did not take place. The strike is a two-edged sword that not infrequently inflicts more injury on the user than on the party at whom the blow is aimed.

There is a good deal of apparent absurdity in the effort of Coleman, the Cambridge bank looter, to fasten responsibility for his own crime upon big Bill Kelliher or anybody else. If Coleman did his duty, how could any outside party interfere with the operations of the bank?

If the Huntington hall commission does not possess the authority to construct public baths in conjunction with a public hall the city council can give the needed power. It is well, however, to have clear ideas as to the scope of the commission's powers.

## TUBERCULOSIS CAMP.

Some cities of Massachusetts, notably Springfield and Lawrence among the rest, provide outdoor hospitals for the care of consumptives during the warm weather. The results, no doubt, warrant the expense. The small way in which the camp is maintained at the Lowell General hospital in this city indicates what can be done.

## NEW RESERVOIR NECESSARY.

The proposition of the water board for a new reservoir on Centralville heights to afford greater pressure for fire service in the Highlands and at the same time to enable the department to clean out the old reservoir is one that must soon be considered, because it is a public necessity involving the greater safety of life and property in the Highlands and the guaranteed purity of our water service.

## THE MIDDLEMAN IN THE MILK BUSINESS.

The contractor or middleman is causing most of the trouble over the sale and price of milk in Boston. As the contractors have yearly contracts with the railroads they can probably get all the milk they need outside the trouble zone. The fact remains, however, that the producers should have equal facilities for shipping their milk to the cities in which it is sold. This privilege would enable them to dispense with the middleman.

Here in Lowell there is danger that the imposition of unnecessary and expensive red tape in the sale of milk may drive many farmers out of the business, so as to give way to a trust that will bring milk from a great distance. The milk collected from parts of New Hampshire, Maine and Vermont would not be nearly so good as that which the careful farmer in the suburbs of Lowell produces and delivers to his customers. The coming of a trust to Lowell would mean the elimination of the producer and the introduction of imported milk. That would put most of the present milkmen out of business.

## NEW SOURCE OF GRAFT.

The fact may not yet be quite apparent, but it will come out in due time that a new fangled source of governmental graft will be disclosed in the toting cars provided for legislators and public officials. Already the signs are unmistakable from congress down to the ordinary city. Certain officials must have autos to carry them wherever they want to go. This is but right and more effective work may thus be done if the officials take care of the autos. But if the machines be used for joy rides or loaned to friends they will soon get out of repair, and once a municipal auto shows any imperfection it will soon be traded off for a new one. Even the care of an auto costs considerable, and in a city in which from ten to a dozen are used by the officials, the cost becomes an important item. The east-off autos of the municipality will be more valuable than the old broken-down horses that are sent to pass the remainder of their days in peace at the city farm. There will be a demand for them at a low price, although with slight repairs they might be made to last for years.

The cities of the country are fast equipping with automobiles where horses were used before for the heads of departments and in some cases to take the place of fire horses. This change is bound to come in fire departments all over the country, so that the sale of automobiles for fire service alone will be enormous, once the auto fire engine shall have supplanted the fire steeds, some of these of thrilling memory.

Only close scrutiny and strict economy will protect the taxpayers from dishonesty during the transition period from horse to auto if we are to judge from conditions that prevail in other cities.

## SEEN AND HEARD

Ah, if men but knew in what a small dwelling joy can live, and how little it costs to furnish it!—Sauveterre.

That is what life means to me—a place where a father above deals differently with his different children, but with all in love; a place where true joys do not hang on material pears, and where all the time the fact that God our Father is on His throne lies every cloud with gold.—Dr. Grenfell.

## GOVERNMENT SEEDS

How dear to his heart is the little farm garden!—John H. Harrington.

The lettuce, the cabbage (with heads that won't borden) and each tiny pea pod (intent not to fill!) The gaudy tomatoes and peppers he wants me!

On each little packet of government seeds!

How sweet from the capitol mill to taste! Give it to a present superb for a farmer like me!

Not a full packet purchased from seeds man (believe it!) can equal these seeds in their antiquity.

But now I've abandoned my rural vocation.

A tear of remembrance has furrowed

For the Aprils I fed to my poultry a ration

Of useless, inanimate government

A wee little packet, a partly filled

An elderly packet of government

seeds!

M. G. Kalns, in the American Agriculturalist.

Frank Murphy, who has taken the count many a time in the festive arena, had an experience with a horse that no

hired in this city a few days ago and he admits that while bystanders were amused he was much chagrined. He was coming in from Lakeview and the horse was doing first rate. Frank didn't have a word of complaint to offer until he struck Collingsville. To

the

# GAME WAS BALKED

Suspicions of a Boston Woman  
Saved Her \$2000

BOSTON, May 4.—Victor Terra, 30 years old, whose picture is in the rogues' gallery and who the police believe is a professional confidence man, was held in \$2500 pending an examination May 10 on a charge of attempted larceny when arraigned in the municipal court yesterday. Before his case is reached Sergeant Gallivan and Special Officers Flynn and O'Donnell of the North End police station will investigate the story of Mrs. Mary Elans of Malden, who alleges that Terra and another, who is at liberty, had planned to rob her of \$2000.

The police are looking for the other man, who is known only to the woman as "Little John."

A week ago Monday, according to her story, Mrs. Elans met "Little John" in a hotel in the North End, and he represented to her that he was very rich. A legacy of \$15,000 which he had inherited from his father, he said he intended to use to alleviate the sufferings of cripples and in helping the blind. "Little John" said that he had been told that Mrs. Elans was prominent in charity work and told her it was his wish that she act as his agent in the distribution of his fortune.

"Little John" claimed to be a real philanthropist. He introduced Terra to her and the latter also claimed to have money that he was willing to donate for the aid of the blind and the crippled.

The woman met the two men several times. The police declare that when the man felt that they were in possession of her confidence they suggested to her that she draw \$2000 from the bank to put with like amounts they were to post, the total being used for buying a house. It was not clear to

which was the best for some time. "Has Anybody Here Seen Kelly?" the illustrated song, is making a tremendous hit. The talking picture is a strong part of the show. It is just like a play. The characters speak. Women and children are tendered special attention. The admission of five cents includes a seat.

## THEATRE VOYONS

A volcano in action is a terrible calamity and a mighty dangerous sight but the pictures of Mt. Elba in eruption shown at the Théâtre Voyons today are a great benefit to the general public for they satisfy the curiosity as to what a volcano looks like and there is absolutely no danger. Richard Harding Davis' "Gleesher" is well dramatized and acted and those who liked the story of the office boy who tracks down a murderer in the fiction form will be more than pleased with its picture version. Tomorrow the feature picture will be "The Penitent of Florence," an unusual dramatic picture in which several musical features will be introduced.

## DR. DEMOPOULOS

HAS BEEN REGISTERED AS A PRACTISING PHYSICIAN

Assistant Clerk Edward W. Trull of the police court received a communication from the state board of registration

## Thursday Bargain Day

Waists of good lawn, panel front of pretty embroidery, 89c and 98c waists, large sizes only. Thursday bargain day ..... 39c

Drawers of good cambric, umbrella ruffle of lace, Van Dyke effect, one of our 69c styles. Thursday bargain day ..... 47c

Petticoats of good cambric, flounce of dainty embroidery, an unusual value at 89c. Thursday bargain day ..... 47c

Light blue and gray silk petticoats, circular tucked flounce, a style we sold for \$3.50. Thursday bargain day ..... 1.97

Tea Aprons of pretty all-over embroidery, ruffle of embroidery, and long strings, last year's 69c style. Thursday bargain day ..... 29c

Skirt Aprons of white lawn, if you ask for them Thursday bargain day ..... 5c

The White Store  
116 Merrimack Street.

# TRENT TRIAL ENDED

The Jury May Present Its Verdict This Afternoon

PROVIDENCE, May 4.—The taking of evidence in the trial of William Trent, charged with the murder of William Meagher in his grocery store in Pawtucket in February, was concluded at today's session. It is expected that the jury will retire later in the day.

With the introduction of Joe Dickson, a sailor with whom Trent roomed at the time the murder was committed and who testified that Trent remained at home and did not leave the house during the evening.

of the murder, the state rested its case. Testifying in his own behalf, Trent stated that he was at the boarding house on the evening of the murder and immediately denied all the testimony given by the state's witnesses.

The defense introduced Mrs. Mary Howard, who conducted the boarding house in which both Dickson and Trent roomed, together with her three daughters, who testified that on the night of the murder Trent remained at home and did not leave the house during the evening.

THE BLACK HAND

Blamed for Attack on Politician's Home

PAWTUCKET, R. I., May 4.—Bernard A. Keenan, one of the most powerful politicians in this city, is considerably frightened over what looks like a plan of his enemies, to try to drive him out of his city.

Keenan yesterday complained to the police that Monday night, while his sister and her daughter were in his house, 109 Cottage street, three large stones were hurled through different windows of the building.

It was not until yesterday, when he reported the incident of Monday night, that he revealed to the police that he had previously received two threatening letters signed "The Black Hand." He believes the stone throwing and the letters have some connection with each other.

Keenan received his first "Black Hand" letter March 23. This communication told Keenan to leave Pawtucket at once or he would suffer the consequences. Keenan paid no attention to it, and it was followed a few days later by another missive, in which was enclosed a newspaper clipping containing an account of the blowing up of a house by dynamite. Appended to the clipping was: "This is what is going to happen to your house."

Keenan was at one time a prominent democrat, but few years ago became a republican, and since then his political enemies have made him the subject of many campaign attacks. His desertion of the democratic party has been criticized quite severely. Keenan is a member of the license board and it is said he has been responsible for denying quite a number of applications for licenses, and for this cause it is stated that he has incurred the enmity of a number of unsuccessful applicants.

Herbert Newell, who lives near Keenan, heard the crash of glass, and, looking out of his house, saw two men step on the Keenan porch and hurry away.

SEN. SPALDING

MEMBER OF LEGISLATURE DIED  
OF HEART DISEASE

BOSTON, May 4.—The sixth death of a member of the legislature of 1910 occurred early today when Senator Thordyke Spalding died of heart disease at his home in Cambridge. He had been ill for several months. Senator Spalding was 42 years old. He was graduated from Harvard University in 1895 and from the Harvard law school in 1907. He was elected to the senate from the second Middlesex district in 1908 as a republican and was re-elected last fall. Previously he had been a member of the Cambridge city government.

STEEPLE HARRY

HAD NARROW ESCAPE FROM SERIOUS INJURY

Steeple Harry, the fellow who painted the flag pole on the Colonial building, has painted the flag pole on Odd Fellows building in Middlesex street, and while so doing had a narrow escape from serious injury. His nerve and presence of mind saved him.

While near the top of the pole the rope by which he held himself slipped and he saved himself by casting aside

the rope and grabbing the pole, letting himself down lightly. Had he held to the rope rather than the pole, a different story would be told.

## MOULDERS STRIKE

Trouble at the Lowell Machine Shop

Sixty iron moulders went out on strike from the Lowell Machine shop this morning. The exact cause of their grievance was not learned. Supt. Morton was not at his office this afternoon and a man in the office stated that in the absence of Mr. Morton there wasn't anybody in authority to discuss the matter.

THE REFEREE

FOR BIG FIGHT MAY BE SELECTED ED TODAY

SAN FRANCISCO, May 4.—Speculation was rife today among sports as to who would be chosen at this afternoon's conference to referee the Jeffries-Johnson fight. So many names have been suggested and the field of selection is so large that there was little unanimity of opinion regarding the probable choice.

The arrival of Jeffries in Oakland last night for the purpose of accompanying his wife back to Ben Lomond was so coincident with the meeting as to give rise to the belief that he would remain for participation in the conference.

Two denials came from the opposing factions yesterday. Sam Berger denied the report that there is to be a shakeup in Jeffries' training camp, that there are too many old men at Ben Lomond and not enough young rawhounds. Jack Johnson denied a story to the effect that he had wired a friend in Chicago not to post a bet that the fight would take place July 4 as scheduled.

LADIES' AUXILIARY, A. O. H.

Division 1, of the Ladies Auxiliary, A. O. H., held a well attended meeting in Hibernian hall last night. There was a large attendance and during the course of the evening considerable business of importance was transacted. Seven new members were initiated and arrangements were completed for the May party which is to be held on May 30th.

Sunday, May 15th, will be communion Sunday and it is expected that there will be a large attendance. Communion will be received at St. Peter's church. At the conclusion of the meeting a musical and literary program was carried out.



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## CHIFFON PANAMA SKIRTS .. \$3.98

Full plaited styles, navy and black, all sizes, a \$5 skirt at.... \$3.98

Silk Dress Skirts, \$5.98

Bottom plaited style; worth more but at this sale ..... \$5.98

\$4 Shepherd Check Skirts ..... \$2.98

\$5 Sicilian Skirts ..... \$2.98

\$3 Danish Skirts and 2 styles in checks ..... \$1.98

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## KING DEPOSED

SOUTH SEA ISLANDERS PUT ANOTHER ON THRONE

VICTORIA, B. C., May 4.—Because they deposed the king of Wallis island and placed another chief on his throne, the blacks of the South Sea islands are to be visited by a French warship in June, according to news brought here by the steamer Makura. The trouble arose over the French residents banishing a prominent chief in the king's name. The banished man's friends went straight to the king's town and forcibly removed him. Wallis island is a French protectorate.

## BIGAMY CHARGE

Has Been Made Against Col. Tetlow

PITTSBURG, May 4.—Col. James T. Tetlow, according to his first wife here, and to papers furnished by her to the police yesterday, has committed bigamy in marrying the 15-year-old half-sister of his bride, to whom he had been married less than five months. Mrs. Tetlow, formerly Miss Clara Jordan, yesterday entered suit against her husband, "Col. James T. Tetlow, U. S. A., retired," charging him with bigamy. The marriage license records show that Tetlow on last Saturday took out a license and was married to Miss Ethel Jordan, 18 years old, a sister of the woman who claims to be his first wife. Tetlow, in taking out this license, sword he had not been previously married.

From papers furnished by the deserted young woman, Tetlow appears to have been a soldier of fortune. He, according to his wife, was one of the first to reach the crest of San Juan Hill with Roosevelt. It is also shown that he was some years since decorated with the Cross of the French Legion of Honor and he was the recipient of a commendatory letter from Lord Roberts for bravery shown on the field in the Boer war. His wife says he was formerly connected with the First United States Volunteer Cavalry.

According to information given the police by Mrs. Tetlow, her husband comes from one of the best known families in Maine.

## BATTLESHIP MAINE

WASHINGTON, May 4.—After 12 years the ill-fated battleship Maine is to be removed from the Havana harbor and the bodies which went down with the vessel will be interred in the National cemetery at Arlington. A bill providing for such removal and burial which has passed the house was today passed by the senate.

## TIZ—FOR TENDER FEET

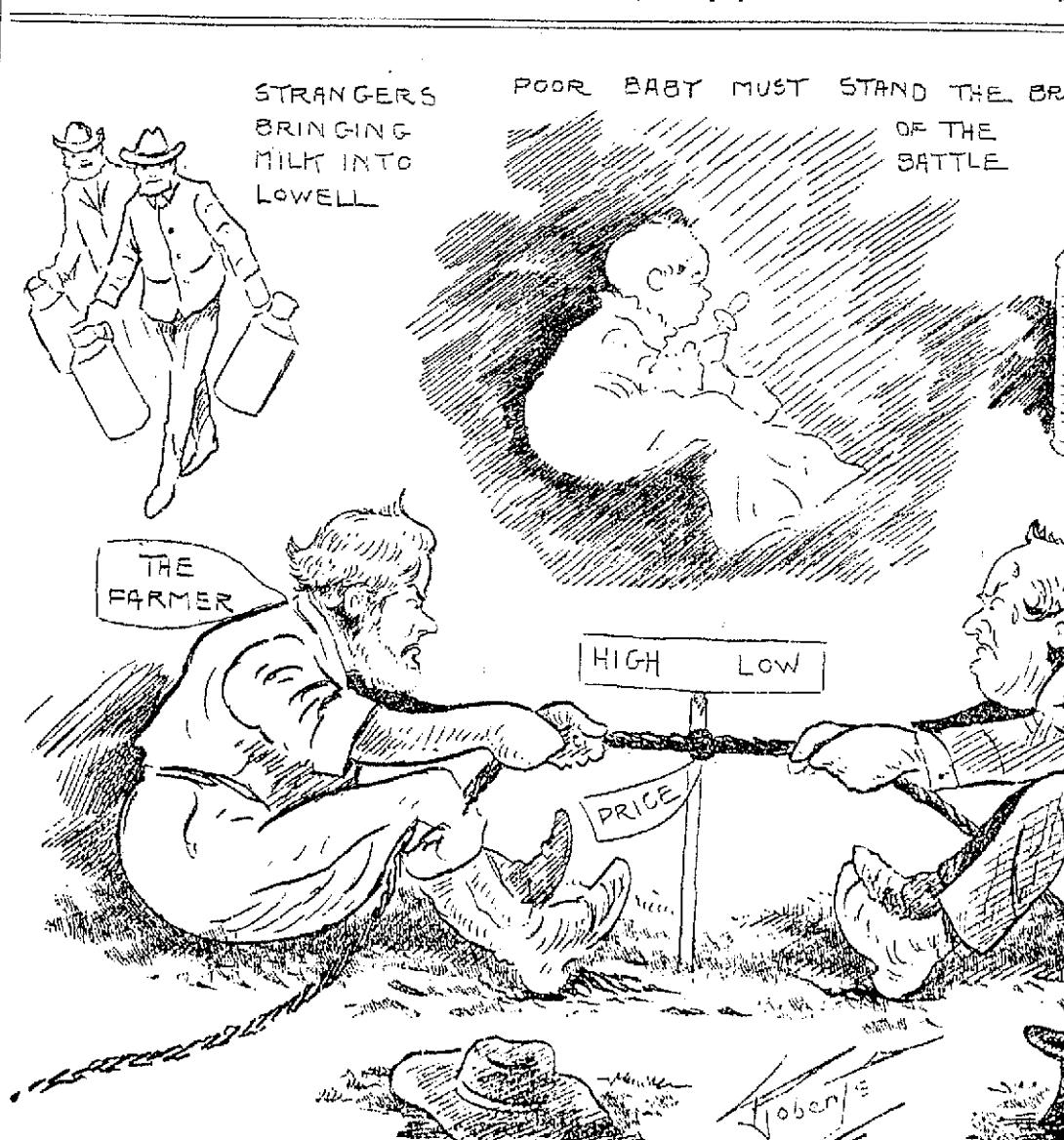


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# PRESIDENT TAFT

Dedicated the Heroic Statue of  
Theodore Thomas

CINCINNATI, O., May 4.—President Taft wound up a day of renewing old acquaintances by appearing before a brilliant and enthusiastic throng at the opening of Cincinnati's annual May music festival last night, as the dedicatee of a heroic statue of Theodore Thomas, first conductor of the festival and formerly head of the Chicago Philharmonic orchestra.

Having respected the president's wish that he be treated as "a citizen of Cincinnati," all day, the public took full advantage of his appearance last night to acclaim him as the chief executive of the nation. A fanfare of trumpets ushered the president on the stage, but the notes of the instruments were drowned by the shouting applause of the thousands who had listened to the strains of Handel's "Judas Maccabaeus," with its story of love, liberty and justice.

A chorus of 800 voices, backed by an immense organ, and the Chicago orchestra, sounded "O, Liberty, Thou Choicest Treasure, Seat of Virtue, Source of Pleasure" and was augmented by 300 boys' voices when the chorus, "See the Conquering Hero Comes" was reached. Mrs. Theodore

"O what a tangled web they weave  
When first they practise to deceive."

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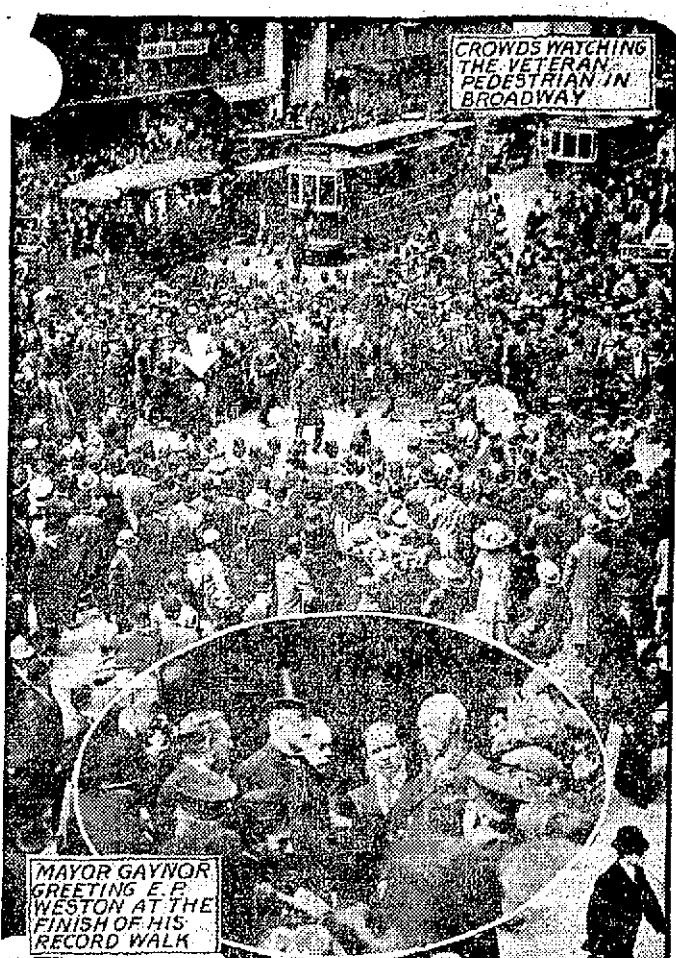
NOTE—The Globe Ear-Phone is the only hearing aid ever invented which is ADJUSTABLE, and in consequence of its superior advantages it was awarded the GOLD MEDAL at the SEATTLE EXPOSITION.

## WANTED

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## THOUSANDS OF NEW YORKERS SAW END OF WESTON'S WALK



NEW YORK, May 4.—The finish of the record breaking walk of Edward P. Weston from the Pacific to the Atlantic was the scene of a remarkable demonstration on the part of New York crowds. Tens of thousands of people cheered the seventy-two-year-old walker as he marched down Broad-

way surrounded by mounted police. His greeting by Mayor Gaynor on the steps of the city hall was witnessed by 20,000 people. While Weston declared he was in good condition at the conclusion of his long hike, his friends declare the strain was too much for the veteran and that he is far from being in good health.

## TWO PATROLMEN ADELINe GENEE

Were Called Before the Police Board

Two patrolmen appeared before the board of police at the regular meeting last night as a result of charges having been preferred against them. One of the men was charged with breach of discipline, while the other was summoned to appear before the board to give reason why he should not pay his debts.

By agreement between counsel and the board the hearing of the cases will be held Friday morning at 10 o'clock. The following licenses were noted:

To sell ice cream, confectionery, soda water and fruit on the Lord's day—Attila Hebert, 265 Lincoln street; hawker and peddler, Morris Goldber, 18 Unity street; Vassilis Coronis, 488 Market street; Billiards and pool, Patrick McAndrews, 201 Chelmsford street; Antoni Sokolowski, 77 East Merrimack street.

Common victualler—Gregorius P. Tsigourakos, 503 1-2 Market street; Frank E. Putnam, 19 Merrimack street; D. L. Page, Co., 24 Merrimack street, corner of Prescott and Merrimack streets and 481 Middlesex street; Karanopoulos Eliakopoulos, 483 Market street; Nicholas D. Spyropoulos, 463 Market street; Ernest Chambers, 388 Middlesex street; Peter Anastopoulos, 779 Market street.

Junk collector—John McHugh, 10 Emery street.

Job wagon—John H. McDonald, 255 Hildeth street, four licenses; John J. McSweeney, Billerica.

Boxkneym coach—Joseph Albert, 57 Cheever street, four licenses.

The following licenses were laid on the table:

Common victualler—Sil. Zonnalis, 422 Market street; John Vlahakos, 488 Market street; Soterios Lembesis, 497½ Market street; Nicholas Trafalis, 388 Suffolk street.

Gilliards and pool—Nicholas Trafalis, 388 Suffolk street; John Vlahakos, 488 Market street; Soterios Lembesis, 497½ Market street.

On the application of W. Dane, representing the Albuthorne Construction Co. of Boston, Timothy Murphy and James Gaird were appointed special police officers, without pay, from the city for the property of the Massachusetts cotton mills and Boston & Maine R. R. on Canal street and vicinity.

MAY INCREASE FREIGHT RATES

NEW HAVEN, Conn., May 4.—The New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Co. will not follow the lead of other railroad corporations in filing with the Interstate Commerce Commission at Washington any schedule of advances of freight rates. Later, however, it may consider an increase of freight rates upon small consignments and packages of freight on which, in the opinion of the company, the rates have hitherto been too low.

### KNIGHTS OF MALTA

A representative body of the Lowell Commandery, Knights of Malta, went to Everett Monday night by special car to pay a fraternal visit to Gethsemane commandery of that city. The Lowell men were met by a delegation from the Everett commandery and headed by a drum corps marched to the Grand Army hall where a general good time was had.

Among the guests of the evening were Supreme Commander William M. Macomber, who spoke at length of the pleasant relations he had enjoyed with Lowell commandery as its deputy prior to his elevation to his present high office.

A banquet was served by Gethsemane sisterhood, Dames of Malta, after which there was a season of post-prandials and general sociability. Informal remarks were made by Deputy Grand Commander A. G. Robinson, Commandant Herbert L. Elliott, Building Inspector James Dow, Assistant Superintendent of Streets George W. Bartlett, officers and past officers of Lowell and Gethsemane commanderies. The Lowell contingent left Everett about midnight, visiting Everett Knights' jovial hosts. William H. Saunders was chairman of the committee of arrangements.

### EX-GOVERNOR DEAD

LOS ANGELES, Cal., May 4.—John L. Beveridge, former governor of Illinois, died yesterday at his home in Holly Woods.

He obtained

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Some very interesting lots of Pocket Books, Card Cases, Chatelaine Bags, Purses, Wrist Bags, Music Rolls and Knicknacks are included in a fortunate purchase we have just made. Helped a manufacturer to a quick settlement of his business and bought largely from his stock and sample lines cheaply and greatly for your benefit. The savings we are able to give you on these goods will surely prove to be over a third and a half less than regular prices.

Your vacation trip is soon coming, may make necessary the purchase of a new bag or pocket book. Anticipate this need now and take advantage of this week's special prices.

## 350 High Class Novelties

At One-Third Less Than the Regular Price

In this sale we include many choice pieces in leather goods from our own stock, including fine Wrist Bags, Strap Envelope Books and Travelling Cases, the most exquisite examples of leather craft. Every piece is absolutely perfect and as there is only one of kind purchasers in selecting from this lot are assured of articles that cannot be duplicated in this city. You can choose from any leather—Morocco, Alligator, Real Seal, French Calfskin, Walrus, Pigskin and Ooze, in every conceivable color and shade. Regular prices range from \$4.50 to \$15 each.

This Sale—One-Third Less Than Regular Prices

**Shopping Bags**—Soft leather, genuine India, Calfskin, Wellesley pattern, in black and brown, large roomy bags, silk draw string, leather handles. Regularly \$1.00. This Sale 69c

**Wrist Bags**—Of Seal skin and fine French Calf, black, brown, tan, garnet, green and dark blue, leather covered frames, also metal frames, in silver and oxidized. Regularly \$1.50 and \$2.00. This Sale 1.00

**Men's Letter Cases and Bill Books**—In black and brown, Near Seal and Morocco. Regularly 50c. This Sale 35c

**Regularly 25c** This Sale 19c

**Men's Pocket Cases**—Including mirror, comb and nail file, in a neat leather case of brown, gray or fancy embossed leather. A specially good thing. Regularly 25c and 35c. This Sale 10c

**Men's Card Cases**—In hand embossed leather, also Burnt Leather Novelties, including Jewel Boxes and Cases. Regularly \$1.00 and \$1.25. This Sale 49c

**Strap Envelope Pocket Books**—Of Seal and Alligator, tan, black, garnet, green, variety of styles, both one clasp and two clasps. Regularly 50c. This Sale 39c

**Envelope Pocket Books**—Combination Books with inner coin purse, black and brown. Seal only. Regularly 25c. This Sale 16c

**Card Cases**—And Bill Folds, in Seal, Morocco and Calf, variety of styles. Regularly 50c. This Sale 39c

**Regularly 25c** This Sale 16c

**School Bags**—Of good quality all wool broadcloth, regular size, silk draw string. Regularly 39c. This Sale 25c

**Music Rolls**—Not a very large lot but some very good ones. Black and colors, round and flat fold styles. Regularly \$1.00. This Sale 71c

**Gilt Initials**—In this sale we mark our regular 25c Gilt Initials in both Old English and Script style. This Sale 15c

## Chatelaine Bags

Only a few dozens of the very finest leathers, mostly Real Seal and Alligator, with fancy metal frames and chains. Bags worth anywhere from \$1.50 to \$5.00 each are marked to sell in this sale. 59c

This is a genuine snap—an extraordinary bargain.

## Combination Pocket Books

The largest single item in this manufacturer's stock was Combination Pocket Books and the concession in price enables us to sell them at just one-half their regular price and real value. Some of the very finest leathers are used in these books—in Alligator, Real Morocco and Seal, Snakeskin, Walrus, Pigskin and Calf. Many are all of one piece and are beautiful specimens. If you want something extra nice and fine for a pocket book for your hand or bag see them. Prices regularly should be \$1.50 to \$8.

This Sale—One-Half the Regular Price

Our Store Will Close Every Thursday During July, August and September at 12.30 o'clock.

### AGED MILLIONAIRE DEAD

MINNEAPOLIS, May 4.—Levi Stewart, 87, reputed to be the richest man in Minneapolis, died yesterday afternoon of old age and lung trouble. It is estimated that his realty holdings alone were worth upward of \$5,000,000.

Mr. Stewart was born in Corinna, Me., in 1826. His parents determined that he should become a minister, but the young man secured a position in a sawmill and made his living by work-

ing on fishing boats. He obtained enough money to pay for his tuition at Dartmouth and later obtained a position as a teacher in an eastern academy. He came to Minneapolis in 1866.

While eccentric in a degree, Mr. Stewart was very charitable in his own peculiar way. His foresight and early investments made him rich, yet he is said to have lived more simply than a common laborer. It was said that he paid less than \$2 per week upon his food and clothing.

La Matica is a high grade cigar which we accept the sole Lowell agency after thoroughly testing it and solving and having a number of our customers do likewise. The unanimous opinion was highly favorable. We have it at present in four sizes selling 10c, 15c, 20c, 25c, 30c, 35c, 40c, 45c, 50c, 55c, 60c, 65c, 70c, 75c, 80c, 85c, 90c, 95c, 100c, 105c, 110c, 115c, 120c, 125c, 130c, 135c, 140c, 145c, 150c, 155c, 160c, 165c, 170c, 175c, 180c, 185c, 190c, 195c, 200c, 205c, 210c, 215c, 220c, 225c, 230c, 235c, 240c, 245c, 250c, 255c, 260c, 265c, 270c, 275c, 280c, 285c, 290c, 295c, 300c, 305c, 310c, 315c, 320c, 325c, 330c, 335c, 340c, 345c, 350c, 355c, 360c, 365c, 370c, 375c, 380c, 385c, 390c, 395c, 400c, 405c, 410c, 415c, 420c, 425c, 430c, 435c, 440c, 445c, 450c, 455c, 460c, 465c, 470c, 475c, 480c, 485c, 490c, 495c, 500c, 505c, 510c, 515c, 520c, 525c, 530c, 535c, 540c, 545c, 550c, 555c, 560c, 565c, 570c, 575c, 580c, 585c, 590c, 595c, 600c, 605c, 610c, 615c, 620c, 625c, 630c, 635c, 640c, 645c, 650c, 655c, 660c, 665c, 670c, 675c, 680c, 685c, 690c, 695c, 700c, 705c, 710c, 715c, 720c, 725c, 730c, 735c, 740c, 745c, 750c, 755c, 760c, 765c, 770c, 775c, 780c, 785c, 790c, 795c, 800c, 805c, 810c, 815c, 820c, 825c, 830c, 835c, 840c, 845c, 850c, 855c, 860c, 865c, 870c, 875c, 880c, 885c, 890c, 895c, 900c, 905c, 910c, 915c, 920c, 925c, 930c, 935c, 940c, 945c, 950c, 955c, 960c, 965c, 970c, 975c, 980c, 985c, 990c, 995c, 1000c, 1005c, 1010c, 1015c, 1020c, 1025c, 1030c, 1035c, 1040c, 1045c, 1050c, 1055c, 1060c, 1065c, 1070c, 1075c, 1080c, 1085c, 1090c, 1095c, 1100c, 1105c, 1110c, 1115c, 1120c, 1125c, 1130c, 1135c, 1140c, 1145c, 1150c, 1155c, 1160c, 1165c, 1170c, 1175c, 1180c, 1185c, 1190c, 1195c, 1200c, 1205c, 1210c, 1215c, 1220c, 1225c, 1230c, 1235c, 1240c, 1245c, 1250c, 1255c, 1260c,

## BOARD OF ALDERMEN

## FIVE INJURED

Referred \$65,000 Loan Order  
Back to CommitteeVoted \$600 for Medical Inspection in Private Schools.  
No Money Voted for Labor Day

At their regular meeting last night, the aldermen voted against the Labor day appropriation of \$1000 in accordance with the recommendation of the committee on appropriations. The free democrats voted in favor of the appropriation and Labor day observance.

On motion of Ald. Carmichael, the recommendation of the committee on appropriations that \$65,000 be borrowed for the purchase of a new pump for the Centralville pumping station was re-committed to the committee.

City Civil Engineer Bowers was elected by the board to serve as Lowell's representative in the matter of land damages in connection with the abolition of grade crossings in this city.

The proposition to expend \$600 for medical inspection in private schools was adopted.

Ald. Gray called to order at 8:25, and read a communication from S. H. Thompson & Co., objecting to lunch wagon in Shattuck street and asking that the license for said wagon be revoked. The matter was referred to the committee on licensees.

The opinion of the city solicitor to the effect that the street railway company cannot be compelled to extend its tracks in Varnum avenue was read and placed on file.

An ordinance to change the name of the city farm to the Chelmsford street hospital was referred to the committee on ordinances and legislation in con-

nection with the committee on streets recommending alterations and improvements in streets were sent to the city clerk's office for seven days under the rules.

Band Concerts

A joint order for \$675 for band concerts was adopted in concurrence. The recommendation of the committee on appropriations that the order for \$1000 for the proper observance of Labor day be not adopted was read.

Ald. Connor hoped that the recommendation of the committee would not be sustained. He was strongly in favor of a Labor day celebration. He said that a proper observance of the day would keep the people at home and he said the city would not lose anything. He said if these days were allowed to go by without notice people would soon forget that such days had a place on the calendar.

Ald. Carmichael, who introduced the order, said: "I hope the board will refuse to accept the recommendation of the committee on appropriations in this matter. The day has been made a holiday in the United States and Canada and it is particularly dedicated to the laboring people. The people who have asked for this observance and who are responsible for the introduction for the order asking for the appropriation, represent the brave and sincere of Lowell. If the day is observed in Lowell our people will go elsewhere for amusement. They will join in excursions and spend their money out of town. A celebration would bring people to Lowell and so

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MINISTERS RESIGN  
HOLBROOK: May 1, became four of its ministers have recently resigned their pastor to take up other lines of work. The Norfolk Association of Congregational churches voted yesterday to ask for the appointment of an Inter-denominational committee by the state conference of Congregational churches. It is proposed to have the committee investigate the "causes that are influencing so many of the atheist and most efficient men to abandon the work of Christian ministry for other pursuits."

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130 HUMPHREY STREET

Auto Collided With a  
Street Car

BROCKTON, May 4.—Crashing into a north bound Milton electric car at North Main street and Emerson avenue late yesterday an automobile containing five persons was wrecked and all of the occupants bruised and badly shaken up.

The auto was driven by Clarence Mulligan of Boston and contained E. H. Kendrick, Mrs. J. Frank Dimmock, Miss George Dimmock and Master David Dimmock, 10, all of Roxbury, who were on their way from Boston to Roxbury.

Young Dimmock was thrown out of the car and landed on the ground several feet away, but escaped serious injury. The other occupants clung to their seats until the electric car stopped. Mrs. Dimmock became hysterical, but was later able to accompany the rest of the party to Roxbury in a hired auto.

Chauffeur Mulligan declares that a break in the steering gear, causing him to lose control of the auto, was responsible for the accident. The Milton car was nearly overturned by the impact.

## BENEFIT CONCERT

WAS HELD AT THE CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH

A benefit concert for Harry M. Jennings was held last night in Calvary Baptist church. There was a good attendance and the program carried out proved to be interesting and enjoyable. Four of the soloists who appeared during the evening were blind.

The following numbers were carried out: "Flute Concerto".....Rinck  
"Miss E. M. Gate".....Clarinet solo, "Sweet Home of Angels," Kline

Bugle McElroy, "The Message of the Violets".....Luders

Plano solo, "Nocturne".....Reed

"Barcarolle".....Reed

Miss Mildred E. Puffer

Bartone solo, "Face to Face".....Johnson

Mr. Walsh, "Mr. Wizard".....Clarinet solo, "Romance".....Braham

Mr. McElroy, "The Moonlight Promenade".....Trumbull

Miss Puffer, "Bedouin Love Song".....Plaint

Mr. Walsh, "Marcia Festival".....D'Acosta

Miss Gate

LOUISE JONES

WANTED BY BOSTON POLICE  
WAS IN BIDDEFORD

BIDDEFORD, May 4.—Miss Louise Jones, the 17 year old Boston girl charged with the larceny of jewelry worth \$3777, and who defrauded her but when the case was called, pleaded guilty at a hotel in this city Wednesday, April 27.

She registered under the name of "Ruby Keith" yesterday afternoon when the hotel proprietor was shown the picture of Louise Jones, published in Boston paper, he declared it was the same girl who had stopped at his hotel.

Yesterday morning, two officers, sup-

posed to be from Boston, flushed up to the hotel in an automobile. They were hunting for Louise. They said they had traced the girl to this city. After talking with the hotel people they called at the police station.

The girl attracted especial attention

on account of her good looks and the striking manner in which she was dressed. She wore a suit of blood red, with a black hat with a brim so wide that the doors of the hotel would hardly admit its passage.

She came to the hotel Wednesday

afternoon about 5 o'clock and said that she was waiting for a car and pre-

ferred to engage a room rather than wait in the street. She remained in the room during the evening. She has not been seen in the city since she left the hotel.

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## WOMAN A SUICIDE

**She Jumped In Front of a Train at Medford**

**MEDFORD, May 4.**—A woman, 34 or 40 years of age, who came to Medford on a noon passenger train today from Boston, committed suicide half an hour later by jumping in front of a freight train on the Boston & Maine railroad. As soon as the woman arrived at the station she walked beside the tracks for about a mile when at

The stranger was dressed in a blue waist and black skirt. She was five feet six inches tall and had light brown hair.

### STEPS TAKEN TO AVERT THE IMPENDING FREIGHT WAR

**NEW YORK, May 4.**—Another effort to avert the impending freight war due to differences between eastern railroads over the important differential to Chicago was made today when representatives of commercial bodies of Philadelphia, Boston and Baltimore met officials of various railroads at a conference of the officers of trunk line associations here.

After the failure of a similar conference held Thursday last to arrive at an agreement the Pennsylvania railroad announced that it would on June 11 cut the 60 cents import rate to Chicago to 51 cents, six cents lower than the present Boston rate. At the same time it was declared that the Philadelphia & Reading and the Baltimore & Ohio would join the Pennsylvania railroad.

Today's conference was held at the request of the Boston & Maine railroad, which refused to advance its rate from 65 to 70 cents a hundred pounds to equalize the change in comparison with the 65 cent rate from Philadelphia, which is 300 miles nearer Chicago than Boston.

### WORKED TWELVE HOURS

**WASHINGTON, May 4.**—The report of the bureau of labor upon the conditions at the Bethlehem Steel works of South Bethlehem, Pa., which was submitted to the senate today, says that 2,222 men worked twelve hours a day for seven days a week, a large percentage of these laborers earning only 12-1/2 cents an hour.

### THE JAPANESE PARTY

**NEW YORK, May 4.**—The party of Japanese business men who are making a tour of the United States on their way around the world reached here today on a Fall River line boat from New England and left shortly afterward for Washington. After its Washington trip the party will return to New York for a four day visit before sailing for Europe.

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### FIVE ON TRIAL CHARGED WITH KIDNAPPING "INCUBATOR BABY"

**HOLTON, Kas., May 4.**—Five persons were brought to trial in the county court here today charged with complicity in the sensational kidnapping at Topeka in August last of Marion Bleakley, the "incubator baby" of world's fair fame. The defendants are Mrs. Stein Barclay of Buffalo, N. Y., who once adopted the child and who is alleged to have planned the kidnapping; Joseph Gentry, a Kansas City detective; Frank H. Tillotson, in whose employ Gentry was, Robert Randolph, who is said to have driven the motor car in making the escape with the child and David Gregg of Topeka, alleged accomplices.

Marion Bleakley was recovered in Kansas City and after a sensational battle in the courts was restored to her mother.

### CABLEGRAMS USED IN THE ALLEGED CUSTOMS FRAUD CASES

**NEW YORK, May 4.**—Several cablegrams from Paris to Francis Fawcett, now dead, who was former Inspector of customs and later so-called head of the alleged conspiracy to defraud the government out of duties by means of left-over baggage on steamship piers, were put in evidence today at the trial of Philip A. Phillipsen and Mary Moore and Isabel Holland, the two Boston dressmakers who were indicted for conspiracy to defraud the government in smuggling through sleepers.

Another cablegram alleged to have been sent by Phillipsen to one Garcia on March 7, 1907, told Garcia who was the Paris end of the alleged conspiracy, to "destroy all papers; investigation." This cable was signed "Anderson," but the operator who received the message testified that it was Phillipsen who handed it in at the cable office.

### STRIKERS ARRESTED

**PROVIDENCE, R. I., May 4.**—Twenty-three Italians, part of a mob of 500 striking laborers members of the building trades union, who attacked employees at work on buildings in this city when they refused to leave their occupations, were arrested by the police today. Although many laborers were cut by knives and bruised by flying stones, no one was seriously injured. A warrant for the arrest of Police D'Alessandro of Boston, the strike leader, who is alleged to have incited the disturbance, has been issued.

### STEAMER IN COLLISION

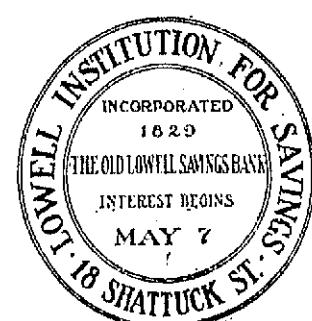
**BEVERLY, May 4.**—The steamer Ligonier which was in collision with the steamer Santurce of Cape Cod during a dense fog last night, arrived in the outer harbor this forenoon. The Ligonier will not come up the harbor to her dock until highwater, about 7 o'clock tonight.

### S. A. R. CONVENTION

**TOLEDO, O., May 4.**—At a meeting of the trustees of the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution last night it was decided to hold the next convention at Louisville, Ky. The session closed with a banquet last night.

### THE HEINZE CASE

**NEW YORK, May 4.**—The probing of books and records of various banks and trust companies by the government in a new effort to connect F. Augustus Heinze with the operation of the United Copperpools in 1907, begun late yesterday was continued before Judge Hough in the United States circuit court today when Heinze's trial was resumed. The accounts were those of Otto Helzner & Co., the various members of the firm, including Otto and Arthur P. Helzner, Max Schultze and various subsidiary companies.



# MANY PHYSICIANS

**Summoned in Case at Superior Court Today**

**Mrs. Sadie Howard, Who Was in a Car Collision While En Route to "Baby Show" Last August, Sues the Boston & Northern for \$20,000**

The most formidable array of medical talent that has appeared in any case at this session of the superior court was present this morning in connection with the cases of Sadie E. Howard and Milton Howard vs. Boston & Northern street railway, to recover for personal injuries in the case of Mrs. Howard and loss of services, etc., in the Hubbard's case.

The medical men present were Drs. Temple and Dugdale who are defending the plaintiff at the present time and Drs. Melks, Bell, Mahony, W. A. Johnson and Tabor, Christian Science, Kelly vs. Mutual Life Insurance Co. of New York, today filed motions for a new trial of the cases, which were taken from the jury by Judge Hardy yesterday.

Dr. Temple also testified that he found Mrs. Howard to be suffering from gall stones, and prescribed for that ailment specifically. She also had inflammation of the appendix.

Dr. Temple was cross examined rigidly and at length.

Since the accident he said he had not treated her so much for locomotor ataxia. He stopped the treatment for locomotor ataxia in January before the accident.

In response to Mr. Wier's question Dr. Temple said: "While I could not cure her of locomotor ataxia, if I could give her comfort for 10 or 15 years I thought I'd be doing well. While you say this is a progressive disease, I talked with a man last night in Lowell who has had locomotor ataxia for 20 years; and I have personal knowledge of its effects for 10 years, for I have had the disease myself for that period and that is why I made a specialty of this particular thing. I assure you, Mr. Wier, that this is one subject on which I am well versed."

Mr. Wier asked what the treatment was that he gave Mrs. Howard for her pains and he replied that he gave her opium and morphine.

Mr. Wier asked if he thought it proper to allow a woman to herself pain to administered morphine to herself.

The witness replied affirmatively. He said that she took from two to four grains a day. He said he thought she did just right irrespective of what Mr. Wier was asking him.

Mr. Wier asked what effect morphine had on locomotor ataxia and the witness replied that he didn't know if it had any effect. He stopped the pain.

Witness said that Mrs. Howard began to improve after he used the morphine but she did not gain weight until after he had treated her with mercury. She had gained 23 pounds up to the time of the accident.

After the accident witness increased the amount of morphine. He started in at a quarter of a grain but after the accident he gave her 5 and 6 grains a day. Witness said he didn't know whether she had the morphine treatment or not before the accident.

Mr. Wier produced the files of the local papers containing Dr. Temple's advertisements and requested the doctor to read them. Mr. Wier then asked him if he claimed that he could cure a chronic disease like locomotor ataxia and the court stated that the witness had already stated that he could make a patient comfortable for 15 years.

Dr. Frederick Dugdale, a graduate of the Baltimore Medical school, was the next witness and testified relative to his experience that he was house surgeon at the hospital at Bridgeport, Conn., and was connected with the Chesapeake & Ohio railroad as assistant surgeon and after coming to Lowell was at the Emergency hospital and studied with Dr. Nichols at the Boston City Hospital.

Dr. Dugdale said that he treated Mrs. Howard for two months in the summer while Dr. Temple was away. Of the two months she was in bed about 18 or 20 days. He saw her in May before the accident and she said she felt better than she had for years. In regard to her condition at the present time he said she had simply gone to pieces. In May she was happy, had no pain and could move around and go to the theatre. Now she is in constant pain. Witness said he diagnosed her case as locomotor ataxia complicated with gall stones. In his opinion the accident was sufficient cause for her change in condition.

Dr. O'Connell of Malden was the next witness.

He explained the nature of Mrs. Howard's ailment at length, having made an examination and he pronounced her case locomotor ataxia. On cross-examination Dr. O'Donnell said that in order to treat her he would take her to a sanatorium and remove the morphine and opium after which he would find out her exact condition.

This closed the plaintiff's case.

The witnesses for the defense were all medical men. Dr. Sept. Louis of the Boston Homeopathic hospital, Dr. Neigs, Dr. Bell, Dr. W. A. Johnson, Dr. Tabor and Dr. Gallagher.

**MISSIONARY CONGRESS**

**CHICAGO, May 4.**—The second day's session of the men's national missionary congress was opened today with another general meeting which was attended by all the delegates. World-wide evangelization in the present generation was the cry of the delegates today.

**PEARY TO LECTURE**

**ANTWERP, May 4.**—Commander Peary has accepted an invitation to lecture before the Royal Geographical Society of Antwerp.

**OBTUNDING SYSTEM OF PAIN-LESS DENTISTRY**

**460 Merrimack St., Opp. Tilden St.**

### MAN NOT GUILTY

Of Having Assaulted His Wife

Emil Sargent, who resides in Moody street, was arraigned before Judge Hadley in police court today on complaint of his wife, who said that he had assaulted her and also that he had failed to provide proper support for her. After hearing the testimony in the case, the court found the defendant not guilty of the charge of assault, but ordered him to contribute \$5 instead of \$3 weekly for her support.

Relative to the assault the defendant said that he and his wife and a friend were in the house the other night and when he returned with a pull of beer each was given a glass. His wife wanted a second glass, but he refused to allow her to have it, claiming that he knew it would start her tongue going. In a scrimmage that followed between Sargent and his wife the can of beer was spilled and she slipped and fell on the floor. The court was inclined to believe the story offered by the defendant and found him not guilty on that charge.

Relative to the non-support charge, was brought out during the testimony that Sargent and his wife, who are working in the mills in this city, have during the last four years saved several hundred dollars. It being shown that the man had a bank account of \$300, while the wife had one of \$80. Sargent said that he had been paying \$3 a week towards the support of the house and \$7 a month for rent. The court advised Sargent to pay \$5 hereafter instead of \$3.

### 6000 ON STRIKE

Men Are Looking for Strike Breakers

**NEW YORK, May 4.**—Pickets of striking bakers watched railroad stations and ferry houses closely today in an effort to intercept strike breakers from other cities. Many of the men sent here from out of town yesterday to take strike breakers places in the big bakeries involved in the labor trouble were said to have been persuaded not to go to work. Employers declared today, however, that they were fast getting all the men they needed and predicted that the strike would not last much longer.

The men on the other hand claim that their ranks are still unbroken and assert the conditions in the big plants are in reality just as bad as they have been for the past few days with upwards of 6000 men striking and the supply of bread for the big hotels, clubs and the general trade down to the famine point in many districts. Fresh bread and rolls are being supplied to some of the hotels from other cities.

### WITNESS ILL

THE HEIKE CASE MAY BE HAMPERED

**NEW YORK, May 4.**—The illness of one of its chief witnesses may seriously hamper the government in its prosecution of Charles R. Heike, secretary of the American Sugar Refining Co., whose trial on sugar underweighting conspiracy charges is set for May 10. The supreme court in Washington yesterday threw out Heike's immunity plea and the long delayed trial was expected to begin next week. Today, however, there was manifest anxiety on the part of the prosecuting officials over reports of the condition of Richard Parr, the customs official who discovered the fraudulent device by which the government was deprived of duties on sugar imports and whose testimony was expected to play an important part in the trial of Heike and other men indicted with him in connection with the alleged sugar fraud conspiracy. Parr is threatened with appendicitis and an operation may be necessary.

**FIGHT AGAINST TUBERCULOSIS**

**BOSTON, May 4.**—In order that the deaf and dumb church members of New England may be instructed on the dangers of tuberculosis the Evangelical Alliance church for the deaf and inter-denominational body has arranged for sermons on the subject to be delivered to them. Rev. E. C. Wyand of Boston, who holds services for the deaf at the First United Presbyterian church, West Brookline street, and Warren avenue, every Sunday, has already preached a sermon on the "white plague" to the silent folks of Boston, Salem and Lawrence. The addresses were requested by the Boston Society of the Deaf.

**DR. O'CONNELL REPORTED**

**CONSTANTINOPLE, May 4.**—According to a private telegram received here today the Albanian insurgents have occupied Diakova, twenty miles northwest of Prizrend after severe fighting with the government troops.

The same source reports that a battalion of Turkish troops was ambushed while hastening to the relief of Diakova and compelled to retreat to Ipek after sustaining heavy losses.

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### RECENT RIOTING

**Has Placed Chinese Government in Embarrassing Position**

**CHANGSHA, China, May 4.**—The recent rioting in this province has placed the Chinese government in an embarrassing position regarding the proposed Hankow-Canton railroad loan. Evidence accumulates that the disturbance was deliberately planned by influential personages not to meddle in the affairs of Hunan province and to make plain the determined opposition of the Chinese to foreign participation in the railroad construction. Millions of Chinese are inured to the idea that the government is yielding weakly to foreign influence which is seeking political control in China. Peking realizes the situation and while desiring to proceed with the railroad agreement understands that hasty action by the government might be followed with the most serious consequences. A protracted delay appears inevitable. Meanwhile the central authorities are trying to placate the revolutionaries and have ordered the new governor to deal leniently with the rioters and also with the revolutionaries who recently attempted the bold outrage against the regent. The would be assassins have not been put to death but have been sentenced to life imprisonment. The instigators of the rioting employed a large band of revolutionaries who used the scimitar as a pretext to stir up a popular and hostile demonstration. The destruction of property and the looting had been carefully planned. For a month before the outbreak the revolutionaries had gathered outside the south gate of the city where the rioting commenced. Members of the organized party wore distinctive badges and directed the movements of the mob.

Outwardly the situation in Changsha and the adjacent country appears to be improving. The United States gunboat Villalobos is expected here soon.

**FIVE MEN ARRESTED**

**Charged With Attempting to Incite a Riot**

**BOSTON, May 4.**—Five men were arrested by the Winchester police today charged with attempting to incite a riot. The men were armed with revolvers. The prisoners are leaders of 200 Italian strikers who have been at work near the state parkway in that town. Police action today was brought about when the strikers assembled and signified their intention of marching to all the farms in and around Winchester in an effort to induce Italian farm laborers to quit work. Two arrests were made. Later the men gathered again and the police charged them and arrested three more leaders.

**TWO MEN KILLED LEG FRACTURED**

**In a Wreck at Springfield, Ohio**

**Nelson Brown Met With Accident**

# TEACHERS' BANQUET

## New Organization Gathers Around the Festive Board

Address Given by Dr. David Snedden, State Commissioner of Education—Supt. Whitcomb, Dr. Lamoreux and Sec. Warren P. Riordan—200 Teachers Attended Banquet

The recently organized Teachers' Association of this city held its first banquet in Peacock Hall last night with a party of 200 around the tables, members of the school board, and the speakers of the occasion being the special guests.

The Teachers' organization was formed for purposes of co-operation along social and educational lines and its first event proved to be a complete success.

Miss Belle F. Batchelder, president of the organization, presided over the banquet. Rev. B. F. Willmott invoked the divine blessing. There were vocal soloes by James E. Donnelly, Miss Josephine Coburn accompanist, and selections by Hibbard's orchestra.

Supt. Whitcomb

Miss Batchelder introduced as the first speaker Supt. A. K. Whitcomb, his subject being "The Importance of Social Intercourse." He first congratulated the teachers on the success of the entertainment, and then spoke in part as follows:

Socrates, you may remember, once held a long discussion with his disci-

ples on the question as to the comparative value of wealth, honor, fame, on one side, and of friends on the other.

He argued, and his disciples finally agreed unanimously, that money and popular favor give little solid enjoyment while they are retained, and that they are easily and often lost. Friends, on the other hand, are a constant joy, in retrospect and in prospect as well as in the present, and if they be real and true friends they can never be lost, not even by a change of worlds.

Every new friend broadens and enriches life. Money may become a burden and honor a weariness to the spirit.

A new friend, on the other hand, never crowds out the old, and of true friends none out ever had too many.

"Now no teacher in the city of Lowell, so far as I can judge, has more than a very limited acquaintance with her sisters in her own profession.

"I, however, who know you all, wish to assure you, individually, that there are many among those whom you do not know who are exceedingly well worth knowing. My word for it, there are large numbers of you, now wholly unknown to each other, whose lives

will be immeasurably enriched who would be made happier as well as more useful by acquaintance and friendship."

"And this is why I especially rejoice in this meeting. I commend the public and professional spirit with which you have turned it. I am delighted that it should succeed so well, and I hope it will be the beginning of many gatherings of this kind and of other kinds which will promote the social intercourse on which so much of your happiness and your usefulness depends."

### Dr. Lamoreux

Dr. J. E. Lamoreux, chairman of the school board, spoke on "The Importance of Intellectual Growth." Mayor Meehan was unable to attend and in his place he sent his secretary, Warren P. Riordan, who addressed the company.

### Dr. Snedden's Address

The address of the evening on "The Importance of Organization" was delivered by Dr. David Snedden, commissioner of education for Massachusetts. Dr. Snedden spoke in part as follows:

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The final speaker was Dr. David Snedden, state commissioner of education for Massachusetts, and his subject was "The Importance of Organization." He said in part:

"I once heard the witty Bishop Montgomery, at a teachers' meeting in Los Angeles remark that it reminded him of the kingdom of heaven, because the women were in such vast majority. What is true of this gathering tonight is as we know coming to be more or less true of the profession which we represent. The men are steadily—in some cases rapidly—disappearing from the American teaching profession. It is coming to be a woman's profession; perhaps apart from home-making, the most occupied and the greatest profession into which women are going."

"This is true not only in this country, but in England, and in France, also, the number of men is diminishing; and in Germany, several thousands of women have been introduced into places that hitherto have been supposed to be preempted by men.

"All sorts of reasons are assigned from time to time, as to why this great, fundamental change is taking place. At the bottom, the relative disappearance of men and the monopolization of the profession by women is largely concurrent with the rising

standards in the teaching profession. I say this without any attempt to be derogative of the men who have followed the teaching profession as a career. The simple fact is that the American public has been engaged for a good many years in elevating the requirements made on teachers. The teaching profession could be filled with men at \$50 a month, if the standards were lowered enough to permit the employment of men of that stamp. Sixty years ago, men who were crippled or otherwise handicapped wereards of professional success. We do

not now give political positions, pits, or the building of railroads, when they cannot do anything else, although, in the last analysis, the lay-

"Of course every one who studies the educational situation, knows that things are improving. Salaries are going up—taking the country at large, lives to the work of education must—and the character of those entering see to it that from year to year the

training is steadily improving. The consequence is that the type of person demanded cannot be procured among those who are to take up, more men, for the compensation offered, and more, the teaching profession, are

Therefore, teaching being woman's best, the people who will evolve scientific profession, and only man's 20th, per standards, and who will enter into and

the profession has come to support the progressive evolution of this work. It is absolutely necessary that this should be done in a cooperative, organized capacity.

"I take it that that is the most important reason for an organization of this kind. Along with the development of professional standards, comes the absolute necessity that we should, in greater or less measure, participate in organized action.

"There are several types of organizations which must be recognized. There are the organizations which might be called hierarchical, and those that are homogeneous. The homogeneous group is exceedingly valuable, and I am ready to predict that it is going to be a type of organization that will be seen in constantly increasing numbers. I am confident that in proportion as our work becomes more complex, the standards of professional advancement must come from our own ranks.

"In many cities of Massachusetts the committee selects the text books that are used in the schools. There

country, they constitute upwards of 80 per cent.

"It is a trite statement, but has to be reiterated again and again, that public education is evolving; that the demands made upon educators—men and women—today, are steadily increasing. More and more, the work must rest upon scientifically demonstrated principles. More and more, it must be organized."

"We complain of the lowness of salaries, and they are low enough. But do we stop to realize that two-sevenths of all public revenue raised, go to pay your salaries and mine, speaking generally, for the United States; and if you take account of national expenditures, it is still true that one-seventh of all public revenue, national, state and local, goes to the support of that work that you and I are engaged in—public education. When we view the thing from that standpoint, the standpoint of the tax-

may come a time when the intelligent, sensible layman is a better judge of text books than the casual laborers who are employed as teachers; but if your work and mine reaches standards that are worth while, is it not evident that you and I should be more competent to choose the text books, than are the laymen?"

"At this point the speaker was interrupted by applause, and he explained that if there was any local application in his reference, he was unconscious of the fact.

He then continued: "If the primary teachers of a community have not reached that state of educational and political attachment where they insist on saying what must be the tools that they will use in their work, then that speaks badly for the primary teachers, or for the community in which they are working."

"On the basis of the broader view, we must evolve from our own midst the standards that will convince those who employ us that we know what we are doing."

"By the organization of homogeneous groups, nothing will become apparent sooner than that you have greatly multiplied your strength; and the temptation will come, to exploit the rest of the world. In this connection, the teacher must remember two things: First, that we are members not of a trade, but of a profession, and there are certain obligations attaching to a profession, that do not attach to a trade. The second is that they are members of a public, as opposed to a private service; and that as public servants they have certain obligations which to a large extent deprive them of certain opportunities for concerted action that may be entirely legitimate on the part of those who are members of a private service."

"While we are raising the standards, we must also preserve the democratic character of the profession. Any development of public education that would be achieved at the expense of its democratic character would be in the long run fatal to the evolution of that education."

In closing, Dr. Snedden complimented the teachers upon the character of the entertainment provided by the organization.

Votes of thanks were given to the social committee, and to the speakers of the evening, after which the meeting adjourned.

At the conclusion of the address the speakers were tendered a vote of thanks, after which the meeting adjourned.

### K. OF C.

#### TO ATTEND SACRED HEART CHURCH NEXT SUNDAY

The Burke Temperance Institute will be the guests of the Knights of Columbus on Thursday evening at the rooms, when a tournament of 45° will be held.

The Knights have a good reputation as experts at the game and the visitors will endeavor to prove themselves superior. There will be ten teams from each society, three men on a team, and there should be some excitement.

Sunday, May 8, at the 8 o'clock mass the council will receive holy communion at the Sacred Heart church, and it is expected that a large number will be on hand. On account of the church being in a distant part of the city, there will be special cars leave the square at 7:45, arriving at the church in time for mass.

After the mass there will be a break-fast served at the school hall on Moore street for the members, and a reception tendered the worthy chaplain, Rev. T. Wade Smith, O. M. I. in recognition of his recent promotion.

**COMMITTEE MEETINGS**  
The committee on lands and buildings, Ald. Qua chairman, met at the city hall this afternoon at 1 o'clock and went on a tour of inspection of buildings where improvements have been asked.

The public hall commission and the special committee on public hall, appointed by the city government, will meet at 8 o'clock this evening.

A meeting of the park commission is scheduled for 7:30 o'clock tomorrow night.

The board of charities will meet tomorrow night.

S. W. WILSON, 21 Hurd st., has engaged in business for himself and desires to notify the public that he papers rooms from \$1.50 up. Cut out borders free. Rooms painted, \$1.25. Formerly with Colonial store.

## O'Sullivan Bros. Company

The Store Where People Find What They Want

Soft Shoes for Tender Feet \$2 to \$3.50

Easy Walking Shoes for Men and Women \$5.00

No Korn Shoes for Men and Women \$4

Laureate Boots and Oxfords for Ladies, the most \$3.50 will buy

Nurses' Oxfords and Juliets with O'Sullivan Rubber Heels \$1.50

Misses' Ankle Strap Pumps, tan and gun metal \$1.50. Children's \$1.25

These lines of goods are needed in every family in Lowell. When you beat our prices you beat yourself in cheaper shoes.

## O'Sullivan Bros. Company

The Big Shoe House of Lowell. Opp. City Hall.

# MAN WAS KILLED

Auto Bumped Into Telegraph Pole at Milford, Conn.

MILFORD, Conn., May 4.—One man about himself and refused to be removed to a hospital. He directed that he be taken to a hotel in Bridgeport. He has a broken leg and minor bodily injuries. Two other occupants of the car suffered little by being thrown from the car when it struck the pole. They also refused to give any information. Coroner Mix of New Haven is supposed to have been Joseph O'Brien of Bridgeport.

The wrecked machine is said to have raced with another which disappeared after the accident.

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Another lot of Silk Petticoats on sale tomorrow morning. Made newest style, all colors. Skirt cut full. Come in and match your new suit with a \$7.00 petticoat for

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### Muslin Underwear

Ladies' Long White Skirts with deep flounce of val. lace and tucks and dust ruffle, \$1.00 value ..... 69c  
Long White Skirts in fine quality nainsook, with flounce of lambing or lace and heading ..... \$1.98 to \$3.98  
Corset Covers, lace yoke, back and front, 2 or 3 rows of ribbon, 50c value ..... 24c  
Night Gowns in high, V or low neck, lambing trimmed, long or short sleeve ..... 38c, 49c, 55c, 69c  
Combination Corset Covers and Skirts, fine quality nainsook ..... 98c  
Child's Pettis Waists, all sizes, 50c value ..... 24c  
Brassieres, sizes 34 to 48, regular 50c value ..... 24c

### Hats

Children's Straw Hats in all the latest shapes and colors, 49c to \$1.49  
Children's Trimmed Hats in fine straw with ribbon and flowers, \$1.24 and \$1.49  
Child's Silk Hats, for little folks ..... 49c  
Boys' Wash Hats in all colors, 25c value ..... 19c  
Boys' Skull or Golf Caps in all colors, 25c value ..... 19c

### Corsets

P. N. Corsets in the latest model, boned throughout with unbuckled steel, cork, steel protector, 6 pairs bone supporters, \$1.49  
Practical Side P. N. Corsets in medium weight batiste, ..... 98c  
P. N. Corsets, \$1.00 model, in batiste, white only, all sizes ..... 69c

### Sofa Pillow Tops

A big assortment of Sofa Pillows for camps and canoes in all the finest materials and subjects ..... 24c and 49c  
Camp Pictures in wood or gilt frames, good subjects ..... 2 for 25c

### LADIES' WRAPPERS

Made in Indigo blue, gray or cadet blue percale.

Regular price \$1.00. Thursday only. **69c**

### 2 PIECE HOUSE DRESSES

In pink, blue and white check gingham, square neck, extra wide skirt. Regular price \$1.00. Thursday only

**49c**

### CHILDREN'S DRAWERS

Made of good quality cotton with ruffle and torchon lace edge. Ages 2 to 12 years. Regular price 15c. Thursday only

**10c**

### CHILDREN'S HOSE

Black cotton hose, double heel and toe, sizes 6 1/2 to 10. Regular price 15c. Thursday only

**10c**

### Bags

Hand Bags in black, tan or alligator, leather or moire lined, with inside purse ..... 49c, 69c and 98c  
Child's Hand Bags with strap or chain, patent leather or dull finish ..... 5c

### Handkerchiefs

Men's Soft Finish Handkerchiefs ..... 5c  
Men's All Linen Initial Handkerchiefs ..... 12 1-2c  
Ladies' Swiss Embroidered Handkerchiefs, fancy or hemmed edge, 5c

Men's Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, long or short sleeve ..... 19c  
Boys' Bal. Shirts and Drawers, short or long drawers, or short and sleeve, 25c value ..... 19c

Men's Neglige Shirts, assorted stripes and figures, 50c value ..... 39c

Boys' Neglige Shirts, assorted colors, 50c value ..... 29c

### Shirt Waists

Ladies' Working Waists in plain chambrays, gingham or black and white figured percale ..... 49c

Children's School Dresses in princess or sailor effects, in all the newest shades ..... 49c to \$1.49  
Children's First Communion or Confirmation Dresses in princess or waist effect, in a big assortment, all ..... 98c to \$7.98

## TWENTY FIVE YEARS

## Of Activity by Lowell Cooperative Bank Celebrated by Banquet

The Lowell Co-operative bank celebrated the 25th anniversary of its organization last night at the banking rooms on the top floor of the Central block with a banquet. That the bank has been a success from the start and that each succeeding year has found it on a firmer basis than the previous years is a well known fact, and during the course of the addresses last night a history of the institution was given.

The feature of the occasion was the presentation of a beautiful loving cup to Artemas B. Woodworth, who has been president of the bank since it was organized.

There were about 36 who gathered around the festive board and besides the excellent menu served by the D. L. Page Co., music was furnished by a Victor phonograph under the direc-

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## The First Thursday of May

We will offer new Summer Merchandise at record-breaking low prices. Some of these good things are makers' samples, others surplus or cancelled orders. All such quality that the lots will go quickly Thursday.

## PETTICOATS

Women's Petticoats of genuine Bates gingham, full size, regular price 95c. Thursday.....59c

Women's Black Silk Petticoats, made good and wide, with three rows of tailored bands, regular price \$4.98. Thursday.....\$3.98

Children's Chambray and Gingham Dresses, sizes 2 to 6 years, regular price \$1.40. Thursday 98c

## Women's Summer Underwear

Women's Vests, low neck and sleeveless and lace trimmed, all sizes, regular price 12 1-2c. Thursday.....6½c

Women's Swiss Ribbed Vests, low neck and sleeveless, with mercerized tape, slight imperfections, regular price 25c. Thursday.....12 1-2o

## These Are the Thursday Specials In HOSIERY

Women's Black Silk Lisle Hose, double heel, toe and soles, regular price 29c. Thursday 17c pair

Women's Fine Gauze Hose, full fashioned, double sole, heel and toe, "guaranteed stainless," regular price 40c. Thursday.....29c pair

Men's Fine Black Cotton Hose, double soles, regular price 12 1-2c. Thursday.....6½c pair

Children's Medium Weight Hose, double knee and soles, regular price 12½c. Thursday.....9c pair

Children's Black Cotton Hose, fine rib, double heel and toe, regular price 17c. Thursday 12½c pair

## A SALE OF \$2.00

Fownes' Gloves Thursday \$1.29

Every pair perfect and warranted. Fownes' Real French Kid Gloves, all colors and sizes. Ask for them Thursday.....\$1.29 pair

## Thursday Specials

IN THE

## Muslin Underwear

Department. Ground Floor.

Combination Corset Cover and Drawers, made of fine quality nainsook, edged with fine Swiss embroidery, regular price \$1.50. Thursday.....\$1.00

12 New Styles of Low Neck, Short Sleeve Gowns, made of fine nainsook, handsomely trimmed with medallions, heading and edge. Regular \$1.50 values. Thursday.....\$1.00

Tea Aprons, made of good lawn with hemstitched ruffle. Thursday.....10c each, 3 for 25c

The Celebrated Niris Corset, low bust, medium hip, balistic, (sizes 18 to 28.) Regular price \$1...69c

## A THURSDAY SALE OF

## EMBROIDERIES

New and Clean.

These embroideries are fresh from the manufacturers in St. Gall, Switzerland, at the lowest prices ever quoted for goods of this quality.

27 in. Swiss Eyelet Flounceings for graduation and confirmation dresses. Regular price 79c. Thursday Sale Price.....50c yard

29 in. English Eyelet Fine Swiss Flounceings, with cluster of tucks. Something new this season. Regular price \$1.00. Thursday.....75c yard

45 in. Fine Swiss Flounceings, beautiful designs, 5 yard patterns. Regular price \$2.50. Thursday.....\$1.50

## Thursday Specials

IN THE

## Wash Goods Dept.

8c Best Quality Light and Dark Prints in remnants only.....4½c

19c Crinkled Plisse, handsome new goods, small neat figures and plain colors.....9c

19c 36 Inch Chambray, real fine quality, only 7½c

12½c Cretonne, light and dark colors, only.....9c

## Linen Dept.

10c Huck Towels, only.....6½c

15c Large Size 20x40 Extra Quality Huck Towels, only.....9½c

10c, 7 inch Doilies with drawn work, only 4c each

50c Linen Table Damask, 62 inches wide, only 39c

## Dress Goods

\$1.00 Dress Goods, only.....69c

Staple Up-to-Date Dress Goods, strictly all wool, 42 to 56 inches wide. All the latest shades, only.....69c

Don't Forget Our Linoleum and Lace Curtain Sale this week. The Greatest Bargains Ever Offered.

Speaker told of the struggle to get the legislature to pass the bill permitting the establishment of the cooperative banks. This was in April 33 years ago. Considering the great growth of such banks in this state he said he felt justly proud of his part in it.

## History of the Bank

Secretary William D. Brown then gave an interesting history of the Lowell Co-operative bank, in part as follows:

"The first suggestion regarding a co-operative bank in Lowell was undoubtedly made by Mr. Stephen R.

Kitchen, who has been vice president of our bank for the entire 25 years of its history.

The Lowell Co-operative Bank was organized April 28, 1885, and commenced business May 14, 1885, with an authorized capital of \$1,000,000.

"The officers elected at that time were: President, Artemas B. Woodworth; vice president, Stephen R. Kitchen; secretary, George W. Batchelder; treasurer, George E. Metalic; directors, John Dobson, Thomas Collins, Albert N. Wheeler, James E. White, James D. Hartwell, Joseph M. Wilson, Joseph L. Sedgley, Elias O. Kingsley, Charles T. Rowland, George W. Brothers, Edwin S. Blackford, Robert Simpson, William A. Wright, James Murkland and E. Garfield Baker.

"Of this number five have died, viz.: William A. Wright, John Dobson, Albert N. Wheeler, James E. White and Elias O. Kingsley.

"In the 25 years of its history the Lowell Co-operative Bank has been regularly and steadily successful in the purposes for which it was organized. It has done much in the way of teaching the people how to save their money systematically and wisely. It has inculcated in the hearts of many a desire to own their own homes, and it has been of untold value in assisting them to accomplish this object.

"Starting with comparatively few shareholders and small assets, in the

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they have certainly been conservative, honest and economical, and the result is known."

Another good feature about our bank I might mention before closing is that it contributes to the welfare of the people of Lowell by loaning its money all in this immediate vicinity. We have very few loans on property located outside a four mile radius of the city hall. We have always been able to sell all the shares we cared to sell, and as a rule have readily loaned all our money at good rates of interest. It is with no little satisfaction that we refer again to the homes that our books show have been paid for through the medium of this bank and we rejoice in the motto that has been adopted by the cooperative banks of the country, and to the real meaning of which they are contributing so much that is practical and durable, "The American Home, the Safeguard of American Liberty."

It was at this point that one of the most interesting events of the evening occurred. J. Warren Bailey, president of the State Co-operative Bank League, arose, and after making interesting remarks relative to the local bank presented President Woodworth with a handsome loving cup and cut glass dish, given he said as a mark of appreciation from his associates in the management of the bank.

Mr. Woodworth, though taken wholly by surprise, responded in a brief and appropriate manner.

The cup is inscribed "Artemas B. Woodworth, from the directors of the Lowell Co-operative Bank, May 3, 1910."

Congratulatory speeches were given by Fisher H. Pearson and W. M. Sherwell of the other co-operative banks in the city.

The invited guests included men who have been prominent in co-operative bank affairs in the state and city. They were Daniel Eldredge of Boston, "the pioneer" of co-operative banks; J. Warren Bailey of Boston, president of the West Somerville Co-operative bank and William M. Sherwell, president of the Middlesex Co-operative bank, and Fisher H. Pearson, president of the D. F. Butler Co-operative bank of Lowell.

Letters were read from Bank Commissioner Arthur B. Chapin, ex-Gov. John Q. A. Brackett and Austin K. Chadwick of the Five Cent Savings Bank of Lowell.

Those present were: Warren F. Sanborn, Southwell Farrington, George C. Osgood, Lawrence Cummings, E. J. Larochelle, Jess H. Shepard, Frank J. Simonds, Natt H. Hutchins, John Taylor, Alice D. Brown, William H. Penn, Walter E. Guyette, Charles G. Drew, Henry Robson, Caleb L. Smith, J. M. Kingsbury, W. M. Sherwell, Fisher H. Pearson, Stanley E. Qua, Charles H. McEntire, John Kearney, F. E. Appleton, John Gulline, Stephen R. Kitchen, J. Warren Bailey, Daniel Eldredge, Artemas B. Woodworth, Wm. D. Brown, Thomas Collins, E. S. Blackford, George H. Taylor, John Kerr and Robert F. Marden.

It is with great satisfaction that I call attention to the fact that this bank has helped more than 1100 shareholders in the buying, building or laying for their homes. The total number of loans on real estate has been 1122, and the amount of money loaned in the 25 years on real estate is \$1,609,315. The total amount loaned on shares (without real estate security) in the 25 years has been \$247,734.

"At the present time the number of shareholders is 2017. Number of borrowers 442. Number of non-borrowers 1575.

"Of course, the bank has met with some losses, through failure of shareholders to meet their obligations, and it has in some instances been obliged to foreclose upon and sell properties. But it has always been in such condition that it could easily meet all these difficulties, and it has never been obliged to reduce its yearly dividend below the rate of 4% per cent. At the time of the explosion at Riveside park where several people were killed and a large number of homes were destroyed or damaged, there was some anxiety for a time, as the bank had no fewer than 27 loans on property. In that vicinity, but the crisis was passed safely, and the bank's losses did not exceed a total of \$300 on all this property.

"The bank has included among its shareholders all classes of people—laborers, mechanics, artisans, physicians, lawyers, clergymen, national bank officers and employees, savings banks' treasurers and clerks—thus showing the widespread confidence in which the co-operative bank system is held. Nearly all the nationalities in our cosmopolitan city of Lowell are represented among our 2017 shareholders.

"It is with great satisfaction which I know will be shared by every one present, that I refer to the fact that the man who was chosen president of this bank in April, 1885, holds that position to the present day. The value of the service that has been rendered this bank and its shareholders by Mr. Artemas B. Woodworth cannot be estimated in dollars and cents. Serving entirely without remuneration, he has been a labor of love, and to him is due a large share of the credit for the high position which the bank holds in this community.

"George W. Batchelder, Esq., who was secretary and treasurer of the bank for years, holding that position until he felt obliged to lay down the burden because of advancing years, also rendered the bank faithful and honest service which contributed greatly to its success.

"Besides President Woodworth and Vice President Kitchen, four of the original board of directors, Messrs. Thomas Collins, George W. Brothers, Edwin S. Blackford and James Murkland have continued on the board and have freely given their time and judgment to the prosperity of the bank. Mr. Brothers presented his resignation only last week. We regret to lose him from the board.

"The officers of the bank at the present time are: President, Artemas B. Woodworth; vice president, Stephen R. Kitchen; secretary and treasurer, William D. Brown. Directors, Artemas B. Woodworth, Stephen R. Kitchen, George W. Brothers, Edwin S. Blackford, Thomas Collins, James Murkland, Caleb L. Smith, John O. Gulline, Francis E. Appleton, George H. Taylor, William D. Brown, Oliver H. P. Green, Geo. C. Osgood, John Kerr, Warren F. Sanborn, Southwell Farrington and William H. Penn; attorney, Stanley E. Qua, Esq.; auditors, Lucius P. Paulson, Herbert J. Bishop, Samuel A. Greenhead.

"Gentlemen, I have no eloquent peroration with which to close this rather fragmentary and incomplete history. We have been considering a very practical subject and from that fact there is no need of rhetorical embellishment in stating what has been done. Doubtless when the bank started there were some who had doubts about its success, because its directors and managers were not men of great experience in financial matters.

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# THE INCOME TAX

## Was a Subject of Debate in the Legislature

BOSTON, May 4.—The house yesterday spent nearly all day, after running through the calendar, in debating the income tax amendment to the federal constitution. The question came on the motion by Mr. Riley of Malden to substitute his resolve favoring the amendment for an adverse report of the committee on federal relations.

Those who spoke for the bill yesterday were Riley and Dean, democrats. Charles R. Brown of Medford, chairman of the committee on federal relations, led the fight against the Riley resolve. He was assisted by Dean of Woburn, republican.

At the time of adjournment Mr. Dean was talking. Debate was re-

sumed at the morning session of the house today.

Rep. Riley spoke for 45 minutes, declaring that the question is the most important coming before the legislature in a generation.

He declared that up to 1895 congress had the power to levy an income tax, and exercised it for years, but in that year it was wiped out by a court decision, leaving this the only nation in the civilized world without that power.

He said the chief argument thus far advanced against the proposition is that Massachusetts would pay in such a tax more than she would receive, and that she should keep the tax for herself. Answering the argument, he said the function of government is to protect property, and if Massachusetts has more property to protect it should be willing to pay more for the protection, because it costs more.

He described at length the message written by Gov. Hughes against the law, and pointed out that the governor dealt with only one phase of the matter, which is a minor one.

Brown in Opposition

Mr. Brown of Medford, opposing the

income tax, said it may be true that the rich as a class are not bearing their just share of the country's burden, but the suggestion does not contain the remedy, because in his opinion, such a tax would only add to the burden of the poorer class.

Stripped of its political aspects and considered only on its merits, he believed there would be little agitation for the bill, and charged that its passage by congress was only a concession of the western states in return for votes for the tariff bill.

He showed that Massachusetts' contribution to such a tax would be entirely out of proportion to her representation in congress, the logical result being that Massachusetts' money will be used for extravagant expenditures in other states.

He said his committee favors the principle of an income tax, but believes it should be conservers to the uses of this commonwealth.

Mr. Dean of Woburn pointed out that congress now has the right to levy an income tax provided it is distributed among the states according to population, but so long as states having but one-sixth of the population have a majority of the national senate, Massachusetts should oppose any attempt to take her wealth for the benefit of others.

Mr. Dean of Woburn favored the tax and declared that had the government not had the power to levy it at the time of the Civil war there might have been a different story to tell of that war.

Labor Bills Put Over

In the senate yesterday all of the labor bills were again postponed for various reasons.

On motion of Senator Teeling of Boston, the Thimkhan "peaceful picketing" bill was postponed till today because Senator Russ of New Bedford was absent; on motion of Senator Mahoney the "eight-hour" bill was put over till today because Senator Turtl was absent; on motion of Senator Mulligan the "seamen's union" bill went over till today owing to the absence of the same senator.

The Canning K. of L. eight hour bill had to be postponed also and the "trade union fines" bill was put over, too.

Senator White of "the Cape" asked unanimous consent to change the postponement of the Cape Cod canal bill from Monday next till tomorrow. Senator Mahoney objected and the motion failed.

Reject Milk Bill

The senate rejected the "pasteurized milk" bill after Senator Mellen of Brookfield had made a statement in reply to Senator Parker of Boston that the committee on agriculture unani-

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## THE AUTO LAW

Is to be Enforced in Nashua

## BOATS COLLIDED

Accident Occurred Off Cape Cod

PROVIDENCE, R. I., May 4.—A rumor reached here early today that two steamers had been in collision somewhere off Cape Cod and that passengers of one vessel were being taken off by the other boat. Word was sent out by wireless to intercept the wrecking tug Taso, half way between Providence and New London, to turn back and give assistance. The name of one of the steamers was mentioned as the Santurce a freight steamer which left Boston for New York yesterday.

Word of this collision reached here through Captain Scott of the Scott Wrecking Co. at New London, Conn. He said he had received word to send out one of his vessels, the Taso, to give assistance to two steamers which had been in collision. As the Taso was at sea, an attempt was made to reach her through the Point Judith wireless station. Interference with wireless communication had been very pronounced all night.

Captain Scott did not tell where the message came from in the first place. As an instance of the trouble the wireless operators were having last night the naval wireless station at Newport was unable for some time to get into communication with its nearest wireless neighbor at Point Judith. At first it was thought that the rumor was a "wireless fake" but the names of the Santurce and the Taso are not familiar to even the keenest of amateurs.

VETERAN FIREMEN

DID NOT SELECT DATE FOR ANNUAL MUSTER

BOSTON, May 4.—The selection of the date and place for the annual muster of the New England Firemen's league, usually the chief business of the May meeting, was not decided yesterday at the session held in the Palme Memorial building.

A committee of three was appointed from the floor after a spirited discussion lasting nearly two hours, to name the day and location. The committee is made up of Capt. John H. Barber of Central Falls, R. I., Capt. H. H. Wilcox of Taunton and M. F. Cavanaugh of Roxbury.

A representative of the Fall River association declared that his organization had pledges from the business men of that city for \$2200. During the discussion Fall River appeared to be the favorite location.

The Indian Orchard association withdrew its application for withdrawal from the league. No action was taken on the application of the Boston association for withdrawal from the league.

A QUIET MARRIAGE

LINCOLN, Neb., May 4.—Mrs. Ruth Bryan Leavitt, eldest daughter of William J. Bryan, was quietly married yesterday to Lieutenant Reginald A. Owen of the Royal engineer corps of the British army, stationed in Jamaica. Only members of the family witnessed the ceremony.

The rooms were decorated with palms, Easter lilies and vases of the valley. Mr. and Mrs. Owen left for Jamaica, the route not being definitely determined in advance.

The bridegroom is 26 years of age. He is the son of T. C. Owen, a business man of London. His mother is not living. Mr. Owen took the examination and entered the engineering branch of the British government service at Jamaica, and according to the government rules, will not be recalled to the mother country until after completing a term of three years.

Ruth Bryan was first married nearly seven years ago, when 18 years of age to William Homer Leavitt, an artist nearly twice her age. She got a divorce from Leavitt in March, 1909, with absolute custody of their two children. The children are now in Germany.

NOTICE TO STRIKE

NEW HAVEN, Conn., May 4.—The polling of the telegraphers of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Co. on the question of striking because the road has refused to grant an increase of wages, was completed last night. The vote was not officially counted, owing to the non-arrival of an official of the union, but it is understood that 98 per cent. of the voters were in favor of such a course. It is also understood that the New Haven company will make a stand in the case of the telegraphers and will not grant their demands.

CARD OF THANKS

The undersigned wish to express their heartfelt thanks to the many friends who so generously lent their assistance in their recent bereavement, also to those who sent floral offerings. W. A. Hornby and family. G. H. Hornby and family.

Lowell, Wednesday, May 4, 1910

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All new designs fresh from the importers and a selection better by far than we have ever been able to offer before.

500 Yards Swiss Flounceings, 27 inches wide, eyelet and floral designs. Regular value 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25 yard, at 59c, 69c and 75c

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Two new growers will contribute their hot house products to the Avenue Stands this season. We expect the plants to be far better than ever before and we'll have a much larger selection for you.

Geraniums (all colors), Rose Geraniums, Heliotrope, Salvia,

Begonias, Lobelia, Lemon Verbena, Marguerite or White Daisies, and Rock Roses ..... 10c Each

Vine Vine or Periwinkle ..... 15c and 25c per Pot

Lady Washington Geranium ..... 35c and 50c

Pansies ..... 15c per Basket; 2 for 25c

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Ladies' Shaped Jersey Vests, low neck, short sleeves, all sizes, slightly imperfect, for 25c quality, only ..... 19c

Ladies' Jersey Shaped Vests, low neck, sleeveless, for 25c quality, only ..... 19c

Ladies' Shaped Union Suits, low neck, sleeveless, lace trimmed pants, for 50c quality, only ..... 29c

Ladies' Jersey Ribbed Pants, lace trimmed, for 25c quality, only 19c

Ladies' Gauze Silk Lisle Hose, double toe and heel, for 25c quality, only ..... 19c a pair

Ladies' Black Boot Lace Hose, full fashioned, double sole, for 38c quality, only ..... 25c a pair

Ladies' Tan Boot Lace Hose, full fashioned, double sole, for 38c quality, only ..... 25c a pair

West Section

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This is by far the largest average circulation of any newspaper in Lowell.

The world will wonder why Lowell will not hold any great auto race this year. It would take too long to explain.

The talk about Theodore Roosevelt recommending William Loeb for governor to succeed Governor Hughes seems too ridiculous to believe and yet it is distinctly Rooseveltian.

Charles J. Glidden, formerly of Lowell but now of general aero fame, is officiating as sky pilot for people who aspire to fly to the heavens if they can get there in no other way.

If the new arrangement for the selection of text books will put a stop to arbitrary, unintelligent, needless and expensive changes as we believe it will, then for that the school board deserves credit. The schools will be saved the infliction and the taxpayers the expense.

Fortunately but few of the threatened strikes occurred on May Day. Fortunately also the threatened milk strike did not take place. The strike is a two-edged sword that not infrequently inflicts more injury on the user than on the party at whom the blow is aimed.

There is a good deal of apparent absurdity in the effort of Coleman, the Cambridge bank looter, to fasten responsibility for his own crime upon big Bill Kellifer or anybody else. If Coleman did his duty, how could any outside party interfere with the operations of the bank?

If the Huntington hall commission does not possess the authority to construct public baths in conjunction with a public hall the city council can give the needed power. It is well, however, to have clear ideas as to the scope of the commission's powers.

## TUBERCULOSIS CAMP.

Some cities of Massachusetts, notably Springfield and Lawrence among the rest, provide outdoor hospitals for the care of consumptives during the warm weather. The results, no doubt, warrant the expense. The small way in which the camp is maintained at the Lowell General hospital in this city indicates what can be done.

## NEW RESERVOIR NECESSARY.

The proposition of the water board for a new reservoir on Centralville heights to afford greater pressure for fire service in the Highlands and at the same time to enable the department to clean out the old reservoir is one that must soon be considered, because it is a public necessity involving the greater safety of life and property in the Highlands and the guaranteed purity of our water service.

## THE MIDDLEMAN IN THE MILK BUSINESS.

The contractor or middleman is causing most of the trouble over the sale and price of milk in Boston. As the contractors have yearly contracts with the railroads they can probably get all the milk they need outside the trouble zone. The fact remains, however, that the producers should have equal facilities for shipping their milk to the cities in which it is sold. This privilege would enable them to dispense with the middleman.

Here in Lowell there is danger that the imposition of unnecessary and expensive red tape in the sale of milk may drive many farmers out of the business, so as to give way to a trust that will bring milk from a great distance. The milk collected from parts of New Hampshire, Maine and Vermont would not be nearly so good as that which the careful farmer in the suburbs of Lowell produces and delivers to his customers. The coming of a trust to Lowell would mean the elimination of the producer and the introduction of imported milk. That would put most of the present milkmen out of business.

## NEW SOURCE OF GRAFT.

The fact may not yet be quite apparent, but it will come out in due time that a new fangled source of governmental graft will be disclosed in the touring cars provided for legislators and public officials. Already the signs are unmistakable from congress down to the ordinary city. Certain officials must have autos to carry them wherever they want to go. This is but right and more effective work may thus be done if the officials take care of the autos. But if the machines be used for joy rides or loaned to friends they will soon get out of repair, and once a municipal auto shows any imperfection it will soon be traded off for a new one. Even the care of an auto costs considerable, and in a city in which from ten to a dozen are used by the officials, the cost becomes an important item. The cast-off autos of the municipality will be more valuable than the old broken-down horses that are sent to pass the remainder of their days in pens at the city farm. There will be a demand for them at a low price, although with slight repairs they might be made to last for years.

The cities of the country are fast equipping with automobiles where horses were used before for the heads of departments and in some cases to take the place of fire horses. This change is bound to come in five departments all over the country, so that the sale of automobiles for fire service alone will be enormous, once the auto fire engine shall have supplanted the fire steeds, some of these of thrilling memory.

Only close scrutiny and strict economy will protect the taxpayers from dishonesty during the transition period from horse to auto if we are to judge from conditions that prevail in other cities.

## SEEN AND HEARD

Ah, if men but knew in what a small dwelling joy can live, and how little it costs to furnish it!—Sauvostre.

That is what life means to me—a place where a father above deals differently with his different children, but with all in love; a place where true joys do not hang on material pegs, and where all the time the fact that God our Father is on His throne lies every cloud with gold.—Dr. Grenfell.

## GOVERNMENT SEEDS

How dear to his heart is the little farm garden! My congressman pictures with laudable skill! The lettuce, the cabbage (with heads that won't harden)

And each tiny pea pod (intent not to fill)

On each little packet of government seeds!

How sweet from the capitol mill to receive it! (A present superb for a farmer like me)

Not a full packet purchased from seeds man (believe it!)

Can I trust these seeds in their antiquity?

But now I've abandoned my rural vocation.

A tear of remembrance its furrowed course leads.

For the Aprils I fed to my poultry a

Of useless, inanimate government seeds.

A wee little packet, a partly filled packet,

An elderly packet of government seeds.

M. G. Raines, in the American Agricul-

turist.

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# GAME WAS BALKED

Suspicion of a Boston Woman Saved Her \$2000

BOSTON, May 4.—Victor Terra, 30 years old, whose picture is in the rogues' gallery and who, the police believe, is a professional confidence man, was held in \$2500 pending an examination May 10 on a charge of attempted larceny when arraigned in the municipal court yesterday. Before his case is reached Sergeant Gallivan and Special Officers Flynn and O'Donnell of the North End police station will investigate the story of Mrs. Mary Elans of Malden, who alleges that Terra and another, who is at liberty, had planned to rob her of \$2000.

The police are looking for the other man, who is known only to the woman as "Little John."

A week ago Monday, according to her story, Mrs. Elans met "Little John" in a hotel in the North End, and he represented to her that he was very rich. A legacy of \$15,000 which he had inherited from his father, he said, he intended to use to alleviate the sufferings of cripples and in helping the blind. "Little John" said that he had been told that Mrs. Elans was prominent in charity work and told her it was his wish that she act as his agent in the distribution of his fortune.

"Little John" claimed to be a real philanthropist. He introduced Terra to her and the latter also claimed to have money that he was willing to do for the aid of the blind and the crippled.

The woman met the two men several times. The police declare that when the men felt that they were in possession of her confidence they suggested to her that she draw \$2000 from the bank to put with like amounts they were to post, the total being used for buying a house. It was not clear to

which was the best for some time. "Has Anybody Here Seen Kelly?" the illustrated song, is making a tremendous hit. The talking picture is a strong part of the show. It is just like a play. The characters speak. Women and children are tendered special attention. The admission of five cents includes a

fee for the show.

## THEATRE VOYONS

A volcano in action is a terrible calamity and a mighty dangerous sight but the pictures of Mt. Etna in eruption shown at the Theatre Voyons today are a great benefit to the general public for they satisfy the curiosity as to what a volcano looks like and there absolutely no danger. Richard Baving Davis' "Gellegger" is well dramatized and acted and those who liked the story of the office boy who tracks down a murderer in the fiction form will be more than pleased with its picture version. Tomorrow the feature picture will be "The Penitent of Florence," an unusual dramatic picture in which several musical features will be introduced.

## DR. DEMOPOULOS

HAS BEEN REGISTERED AS A PRACTISING PHYSICIAN

Assistant Clerk Edward W. Trull of the police court received a communication from the state board of regis-

tration.

## STAR THEATRE

An excellent bill was presented at the Star theatre Tuesday evening, headed by the amateur entertainment

of the week. Litter, Perry and Olson, singers and musicians, Marlow and Plunket, in a comedy musical offering, Burns and Clifton, singers and dancers, and W. J. Holmes, character comedian. A new list of pictures will also be shown. Matinees are given every afternoon from 2 to 4 and two full shows are given at night starting at 7 and 8:30.

## Thursday Bargain Day

Waists of good lawn, panel front of pretty embroidery, 69c and 98c waists, large sizes only. Thursday bargain day ..... 39c

Drawers of good cambric, umbrella ruffle of lace, Van Dyke effect, one of our 69c styles. Thursday bargain day ..... 47c

Petticoats of good cambric, flounce of dainty embroidery, an unusual value at 69c. Thursday bargain day ..... 47c

Light blue and gray silk petticoats, circular tucked flounce, a style we sold for \$3.50. Thursday bargain day ..... 1.97

Tea Aprons of pretty all-over embroidery, ruffle of embroidery, and long strings, last year's 69c style. Thursday bargain day ..... 29c

Skirt Aprons of white lawn, if you ask for them Thursday bargain day ..... 5c

The White Store  
116 Merrimack Street.

## TRENT TRIAL ENDED

The Jury May Present Its Verdict This Afternoon

PROVIDENCE, May 4.—The taking of evidence in the trial of William Trent, charged with the murder of William Meagher in his grocery store in Pawtucket, was concluded at today's session. It is expected that the jury will retire later in the day.

With the introduction of Joe Dickson, a sailor with whom Trent roomed at the time the murder was committed and who testified that Trent was away from the boarding house on the night

of the murder, the state rested its case. Testifying in his own behalf, Trent stated that he was at the boarding house on the evening of the murder and immediately denied all the testimony given by the state's witnesses.

The defense introduced Mrs. Mary Howard, who conducted the boarding house in which both Dickson and Trent roomed, together with her three daughters, who testified that on the night of the murder Trent remained at home and did not leave the house during the evening.

the rope and grabbing the pole, letting himself down lightly. Had he held to the rope rather than the pole, a different story would be told.

## MOULDERS STRIKE

Trouble at the Lowell Machine Shop

Sixty iron moulders went out on strike from the Lowell Machine shop this morning. The exact cause of their grievance was not learned. Supt. Morton was not at his office this afternoon and a man in the office stated that in the absence of Mr. Morton there wasn't anybody in authority to discuss the matter.

## THE REFEREE

FOR BIG FIGHT MAY BE SELECTED

ED TODAY

SAN FRANCISCO, May 4.—Speculation was rife today among sports as to who would be chosen at this afternoon's conference to referee the Jeffries-Johnson mill. So many names have been suggested and the field of selection is so large that there was little unanimity of opinion regarding the probable choice.

Keenan was at one time a prominent democrat, but a few years ago became a republican, and since then his political enemies have made him the subject of many campaign attacks. His desertion of the democratic party has been criticized quite severely. Keenan is a member of the license board and it is said he has been responsible for denying quite a number of applications for licenses, and for this cause it is stated that he has incurred the enmity of a number of unsuccessful applicants.

Herbert Newell, who lives near Keenan, heard the crash of glass, and, looking out of his house, saw two men stuff the Keenan porch and hurry away.

## LADIES' AUXILIARY, A. O. H.

Division 1, of the Ladies Auxiliary, A. O. H., held a well attended meeting in Hibernian Hall last night. There was a large attendance and during the course of the evening considerable business of importance was transacted. Seven new members were initiated and arrangements were completed for the May party which is to be held on May 30th.

Sunday, May 15th, will be communion Sunday and it is expected that there will be a large attendance. Communion will be received at St. Peter's church. At the conclusion of the meeting a musical and literary program was carried out.



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Full plaited styles, navy and black, all sizes, a \$5 skirt at ..... \$3.98

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\$4 Shepherd Check Skirts ..... \$2.98

\$5 Sicilian Skirts ..... \$2.98

\$3 Danish Skirts and 2 styles in checks ..... \$1.98

## New York Cloak and Suit Co.

12-18 JOHN STREET

## KING DEPOSED

SOUTH SEA ISLANDERS PUT ANOTHER ON THRONE

VICTORIA, B. C., May 4.—Because they deposed the king of Wallis Island and placed another chief on his throne, the blacks of the South Sea Islands are to be visited by a French warship in June, according to news brought here by the steamer Makina. The trouble arose over the French residents among a prominent chief in the king's name. The banished man's friends went straight to the king's town and forcibly removed him. Wallis Island is a French protectorate.

## BIGAMY CHARGE

Has Been Made Against Col. Tetlow

PITTSBURG, May 4.—Col. James T. Tetlow, according to his first wife here, and to papers furnished by her to the police yesterday, has committed bigamy in marrying the 18-year-old sister of his bride, to whom he had been married less than five months. Mrs. Tetlow, formerly Miss Clara Jordan, yesterday entered suit against her husband, "Col. James T. Tetlow, U. S. A., retired," charging him with bigamy. The marriage license records show that Tetlow on last Saturday took out a license and was married to Miss Ethel Jordan, 18 years old, a sister of the woman who claims to be his first wife. Tetlow, in taking out this license, swore he had not been previously married.

From papers furnished by the deserted young woman, Tetlow appears to have been a soldier of fortune. He, according to his wife, was one of the first to reach the crest of San Juan Hill with Roosevelt. It is also shown that he was some years since decorated with the Cross of the French Legion of Honor and was the recipient of a commendatory letter from Lord Roberts for bravery shown on the field in the Boer war. His wife says he was formerly connected with the First United States Volunteer Cavalry.

According to information given the police by Mrs. Tetlow, her husband comes from one of the best known families in Maine.

## BATTLESHP MAINE

WASHINGTON, May 4.—After 12 years the ill-fated battleship Maine is to be removed from the Havana harbor and the bodies which went down with the vessel will be interred in the National cemetery at Arlington. A bill providing for such removal and burial which has passed the house was today passed by the senate.

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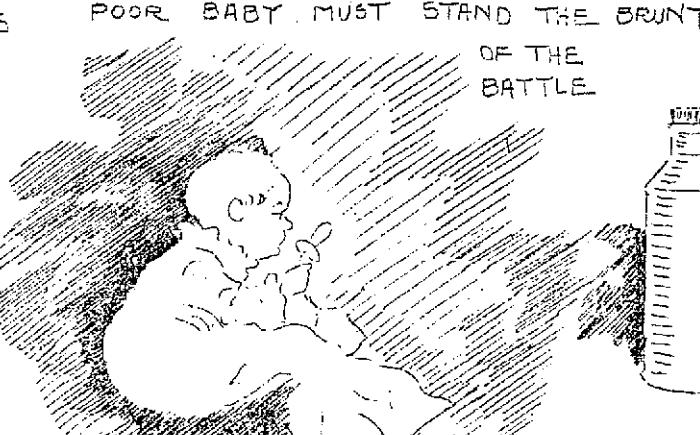
TIZ is for sale at all druggists, 25 cents per box or street 1c you wish from Walter Luther Dodge & Co., Chicago, Ill.

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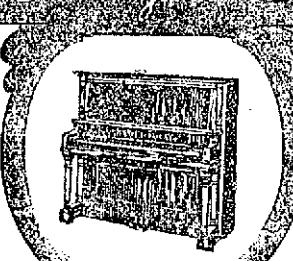
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# PRESIDENT TAFT

Dedicated the Heroic Statue of  
Theodore Thomas

CINCINNATI, O., May 4.—President Taft wound up a day of renewing old acquaintances by appearing before a brilliant and enthusiastic throng at the opening of Cincinnati's annual May music festival last night, as the dedication of a heroic statue of Theodore Thomas, first conductor of the festivals and formerly head of the Chicago Philharmonic orchestra.

Having respected the president's wish that he be treated as a "citizen of Cincinnati," all day, the public took full advantage of his appearance last night to acclaim him as the chief executive of the nation. A fanfare of trumpets ushered the president on the stage, but the notes of the instruments were drowned by the shouting applause of the thousands who had listened to the strains of Handel's "Judas Macabreus," with its story of love, liberty and justice.

A chorus of 800 voices, backed by an immense organ and the Chicago orchestra, sounded "O Liberty! Thou Choicest Treasure, Seal of Virtue, Source of Pleasure" and was augmented by 200 boys' voices when the chorus, "See the Conquering Hero Comes" was reached. Mrs. Theodore Thomas and her two sons occupied a box at last night's concert and heard the president's eulogy of the dead musician.

The statue of Thomas stands in the corner of the building. The draperies were removed at the conclusion of the president's speech and the departing audience viewed it.

After the concert the president went to the Queen City club, where Lawrence Maxwell, formerly solicitor general of the United States and now president of the May Festival association, was his host until the presidential party left for St. Louis shortly before midnight.

At the Loyal Legion meeting yesterday President Taft, after declaring that he had been "too young to fight in the Civil war and too fat to take part in the Spanish war, said:

"It is a pleasure to come to one's home, especially when you have been in Washington and have been gently chided for your shortcomings, and to smuggle up close to those who are fond of you, who have respect for you whatever happens. Those who believe that however great the obstacles are and however severe the criticism may be in other parts of the country you are doing the best you can."

"O what a tangled web they weave,  
When first they practise to deceive."

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NOTE—The Globe Ear-Phone is the only hearing aid ever invented which is ADJUSTABLE, and in consequence of its superior advantages, it was awarded the GOLD MEDAL at the SEATTLE EXPOSITION.

## WANTED Coal Teamsters

## HORNE COAL COMPANY

## THOUSANDS OF NEW YORKERS SAW END OF WESTON'S WALK



NEW YORK, May 4.—The finish of the record breaking walk of Edward P. Weston from the Pacific to the Atlantic was the scene of a remarkable demonstration on the part of New York crowds. Tens of thousands of people cheered the seventy-two-year-old walker as he marched down Broad-

way surrounded by mounted police. His greeting by Mayor Gaynor on the steps of the city hall was witnessed by 20,000 people. While Weston declared he was in good condition at the conclusion of his long hike, his friends declare the strain was too much for the veteran and that he is far from being in good health.

## TWO PATROLMEN ADELINA GENEE

Were Called Before the Police Board

Two patrolmen appeared before the board of police at the regular meeting last night as a result of charges having been preferred against them. One of the men was charged with breach of discipline, while the other was summoned to appear before the board to give reason why he should not pay his debts.

By agreement between counsel and the board the hearing of the cases will be held Friday morning at 10 o'clock.

The following licenses were granted upon:

To sell ice cream, confectionery, soda water and fruit on the Lord's day—Albert, 265 Lincoln street; hawker and peddler, Morris Goldberg, 18 Main street; Vassilios Coronis, 483 Market street, billiards and pool, Patrick McAndrews, 291 Chelmsford street; Antoni Sokolowski, 77 East Merrimack street.

Common victualler—Gregorios P. Tsagourakos, 503 1-2 Market street; Frank E. Putnam, 10 Merrimack street; D. L. Page Co., 94 Merrimack street, corner of Prescott and Merrimack streets and 484 Middlesex street; Karampoulos Elacopoulos, 493 Market street; Nicholas D. Spyropoulos, 483 Market street; Ernest Chambers, 388 Middlesex street; Peter Anastopoulos, 479 Market street.

Junk collector—John McHugh, 10 Emery street.

Job wagon—John H. McDonald, 255 Middlesex street, four licenses; John J. McSweeney, Billerica.

Hackney coach—Joseph Albert, 57 Cheever street, four licenses.

The following licenses were held on the table:

Common victualler—Sit. Zonnelis, 472 Market street; John Vlahakis, 485 Market street; Soteros Lembesis, 497½ Market street; Nicholas Traffalis, 388 Suffolk street.

Billiards and pool—Nicholas Traffalis, 388 Suffolk street; John Vlahakis, 485 Market street; Soteros Lembesis, 497½ Market street.

On the application of W. Dane, representing the Alberthaw Construction Co. of Boston, Timothy Murphy and James Gaird were appointed special police officers, without pay, from the city, for the property of the Massachusetts cotton mills and Boston & Maine R. R. on Canal street and vicinity.

MAY INCREASE FREIGHT RATES

NEW HAVEN, Conn., May 4.—The New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Co. will not follow the lead of other railroad corporations in filing with the Interstate commerce commission at Washington any schedule of advances of freight rates. Later, however, it may consider an increase of freight rates upon small consignments and packages of freight on which, in the opinion of the company, the rates have hitherto been too low.

KNIGHTS OF MALTA

A representative body of the Lowell Commandery, Knights of Malta, went to Everett Monday night to speak to a fraternal visit to Gettysburg commandery of that city. The Lowell men were met by a delegation from the Everett commandery and headed by a drum corps marched to the Grand Army hall where a general good time was had.

Among the guests of the evening were Supreme Commander William M. Macomber, who spoke at length of the pleasant relations he had enjoyed with Lowell commandery as its deputy prior to his elevation to his present high office.

A banquet was served by Gettysburg steward, Davies of Malta, after which there was a session of post-prandial and general sociability. Informal remarks were made by Deputy Grand Commander A. G. Robinson, Councilman Herbert L. Elliott, Building Inspector James Dow, Assistant Superintendent of Streets George W. Hartwell, officers and past officers of Lowell and Gettysburg commanderies.

The Lowell contingent left Everett about midnight, visiting Everett's joyful hosts. William H. Saunders was chairman of the committee of arrangements.

EX-GOVERNOR DEAD

LOS ANGELES, Cal., May 4.—John L. Beveridge, former governor of Illinois, died yesterday at his home in Holly Wood.

# The Bon Marché

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COMMENCING THURSDAY MORNING

At Prices One-Third and One-Half Less Than Regular

Some very interesting lots of Pocket Books, Card Cases, Chatelaine Bags, Purses, Wrist Bags, Music Rolls and Knicknacks are included in a fortunate purchase we have just made. Helped a manufacturer to a quick settlement of his business and bought largely from his stock and sample lines cheaply and greatly for your benefit. The savings we are able to give you on these goods will surely prove to be over a third and a half less than regular prices.

Your vacation trip, soon coming, may make necessary the purchase of a new bag or pocket book. Anticipate this need now and take advantage of this week's special prices.

## 350 High Class Novelties

At One-Third Less Than the Regular Price

In this sale we include many choice pieces in leather goods from our own stock, including fine Wrist Bags, Strap Envelope Books and Travelling Cases, the most exquisite examples of leather craft. Every piece is absolutely perfect and as there is only one of a kind purchasers in selecting from this lot are assured of articles that cannot be duplicated in this city. You can choose from any leather—Morocco, Alligator, Real Seal, French Calfskin, Walrus, Pigskin and Ooze, in every conceivable color and shade. Regular prices range from \$4.50 to \$15 each.

This Sale—One-Third Less Than Regular Prices

Shopping Bags—Soft leather, genuine India Calfskin, Wellesley pattern, in black and brown, large roomy bags, silk draw string, leather handles. Regularly \$1.00 ..... This Sale 69c

Wrist Bags—Of Seal skin and fine French Calf, black, brown, tan, garnet, green and dark blue, leather covered frames, also metal frames in silver and oxidized. Regularly \$1.50 and \$2.00. This Sale \$1.00

Japanese Card Cases—In hand embossed leather, also Burnt Leather Novelties, Jewl Boxes and Cases. Regularly \$1.00 and \$1.25. This Sale 49c

Strap Envelope Pocket Books—Of Seal and Alligator, tan, black, garnet, green, variety of styles, both one clasp and two clasps. Regularly 50c. This Sale 39c

Envelope Pocket Books—Combination Books with inner coin purse, black and brown Seal only. Regularly 25c. ..... This Sale 19c

Card Cases—And Bill Folds, in Seal, Morocco and Calf, variety of styles. Regularly 50c ..... This Sale 39c

School Bags—Of good quality all wool broadcloth, regular size, silk draw string. Regularly 39c. This Sale 25c

Music Rolls—Not a very large lot but some very good ones. Black and colors, round and flat fold styles. Regularly \$1.00. .... This Sale 71c

Gift Initials—In this sale we mark our regular 25c Gift Initials in both Old English and Script style. This Sale 15c

## Chatelaine Bags

Only a few dozens of the very finest leathers, mostly Real Seal and Alligator, with fancy metal frames and chains. Bags worth anywhere from \$1.50 to \$5.00 each are marked to sell in this sale ..... 59c

This is a genuine snap—an extraordinary bargain.

## Combination Pocket Books

The largest single item in this manufacturer's stock was Combination Pocket Books and the concession in price enables us to sell them at just one-half their regular price and real value. Some of the very finest leathers are used in these books—in Alligator, Real Morocco and Seal, Snakeskin, Walrus, Pigskin and Calf. Many are all of one piece and are beautiful specimens. If you want something extra nice and fine for a pocket book for your hand or bag see them. Prices regularly should be \$1.50 to \$5.

This Sale—One-Half the Regular Price

Our Store Will Close Every Thursday During July, August and September at 12.30 o'clock.

### AGED MILLIONAIRE DEAD

MINNEAPOLIS, May 4.—Levi Stewart, reputed to be the richest man in Minneapolis, died yesterday afternoon of old age and lung trouble. It is estimated that his realty holdings alone were worth upward of \$5,000,000.

Mr. Stewart was born in Corinna, Me., in 1825. His parents determined that he should become a minister, but the young man secured a position in a sawmill and made his living by work-

ing on fishing boats. He obtained enough money to pay for his tuition at Skaneateles, N. Y., where he will be buried Friday. His great grandfather was Joseph Bartlett, signer of the Declaration of Independence and first colonel of the confederacy and first governor and chief justice of New Hampshire. Judge Bartlett graduated from Union college.

ABOUT LA MATICA

La Matica is a high grade cigar for which we accepted the sole Lowell agency after thoroughly testing it ourselves and having a number of our customers do likewise. The unanimous opinion was highly favorable. We have it at present in four sizes selling at 7c, four for 25c, \$3.00 a box of 50; the three for 25c, \$3.50 a box of 50 and the straight, \$4.25 a box of 50. Have a box in the house, they're sure to please. Howard, the Druggist, 187 Central street.

### Water Glass

The Best Preserver of Eggs

15c Qt.

ERVIN E. SMITH

47-49 Market Street.

### DIED SUDDENLY

EDWARD T. BARTLETT VICTIM

OF HEART FAILURE

ALBANY, N. Y., May 4.—Edward Theodore Bartlett, of New York, associate judge of the court of appeals,

died suddenly of heart failure last

night at the Albany hospital.

Judge Bartlett had been a member

# BOARD OF ALDERMEN

## Referred \$65,000 Loan Order Back to Committee

### Voted \$600 for Medical Inspection in Private Schools—No Money Voted for Labor Day

At their regular meeting last night the aldermen voted against the labor day appropriation of \$1000 in accordance with the recommendation of the committee on appropriations. The three democrats voted in favor of the appropriation and labor day observance.

On motion of Ald. Carmichael the recommendation of the committee on appropriations that \$65,000 be borrowed for the purchase of a new pump for the Central railway pumping station was recommended by the committee.

Civil Engineer Powers was elected by the board to serve as Lowell's representative in the matter of land damages in connection with the abolition of grade crossings in this city.

The proposition to expend \$600 for medical inspection in private schools was adopted.

Ald. Gray called to order at 8:25, and read a communication from S. H. Thompson & Co., objecting to a lunch wagon in Shattuck street and asking that the license for said wagon be revoked.

The matter was referred to the committee on licenses.

The opinion of the city solicitor to the effect that the street railway company cannot be compelled to extend its tracks in Varnum avenue was read and placed on file.

An ordinance to change the name of the city farm to the Chelmsford street hospital was referred to the committee on ordinances and legislation in con-

current.

Reports from the committee on streets recommending alterations and improvements in streets were sent to the city clerk's office for seven days under the rules.

**Band Concerts.**

A joint order for \$675 for band concerts was adopted in concurrence. The recommendation of the committee on appropriations that the order for \$1000 for the proper observance of labor day be not adopted was read.

Ald. Connors hoped that the recommendation of the committee would not be sustained. He was strongly in favor of a labor day celebration. He said that a proper observance of the day would keep the people at home and he said the city would not lose anything. He said if there were allowed to go by without notice people would forget that such days had a place on the calendar.

Ald. Carmichael, who introduced the order, said: "I hope the board will refuse to accept the recommendation of the committee on appropriations in this matter. The day has been made a holiday in the United States and Canada and it is particularly dedicated to the laboring people. The people who have asked for this observance and who are responsible for the introduction for the order asking for the appropriation, represent the brain and sinew of Lowell. If the day is unobserved in Lowell, our people will go elsewhere for amusement. They will join in excursions and spend their money out of town. A celebration would bring people to Lowell and so

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## HON. C. S. HAMLIN

Lectured at the Washington Club  
Last Night

The Washington club held a delightful social evening at its cozy apartments in Prescott street last evening, and had as its guests Hon. Charles S. Hamlin of Boston, former first assistant secretary of the treasury and Geo. A. Lascelles of Manchester, Eng., a Shakespearean scholar and lecturer.

Mr. Hamlin entertained the members and guests with a most interesting illustrated lecture on Alaska. Mr. Hamlin was a member of the Alaska commission in 1890, and he exhibited many pictures taken at that time.

In his opening he spoke of the misgivings and doubts he held relative to taking the trip, although he said had he really understood what a trip it was he probably would never have taken it at all.

"I had always believed that what the geographers said about the Pacific ocean was true," he said. "I believed that Pacific stood for peaceful and smooth and all such things, but a 14-day trip in the recent cutter Richard Bush convinced me that the name didn't govern the action of the ocean at all."

"Only one thing broke up my terrible loneliness and seasickness, and that was the falling on my head one night of water and a sword and a cane. The fall of those things took my mind off myself."

"Before I started I was asked by my private secretary if he could accompany me. I told him it was not a trip for a boy, and asked him if he had ever had any experience on ocean trips. He said he had been down Boston harbor a few times, but that was about all. I warned him that this trip would be something more than an excursion trip to Hull and Nahant. Having told him those things, I awaited developments."

Well, while I was literally dying of seasickness every day of the voyage, he never had a qualm, and he used to insist on the every day by sticking his head in the corner of my cabin and asking how I felt."

One of the first places the Bush stopped at was Unalaska. This is the head of a big seal fishing company, although it has about 250 inhabitants. Most of these are Aleuts, cousins to the Eskimos. Pictures were shown of their country, roundabout Unalaska, and one showed several traps. These are almost unknown in this section of the country and the ones pictured were planted many years ago by Greek missionaries.

"I noticed," said the speaker, "that about all of the vessels that came into Unalaska harbor were these, and that all of the coal was carried aboard the ship by Aleut women. Through an interpreter, I asked one of the Aleut men why the women did all of this work, and he said: 'The women like to do the work, and we let them have their own way.'

He spoke of the man who was called "the King of Alaska," Mr. Newman, who lived in Unalaska. And he was called "King" because he was the only man for hundreds of miles who had a bath tub.

The natives thought that any man who had a bath tub installed in his house deserved the title of King. "And one of his first acts after I landed in the town," said Mr. Hamlin, "was to invite me to use his luxurious tub, which he had imported at great expense."

From Unalaska the Bush went through the Behring sea to the Pribilof Islands. On the way to many volcanic islands were found. "These islands are disappearing and coming in different places again; in fact, there is a very frequent change of administration on them," said Mr. Hamlin.

He showed a picture of the volcanic island which is called "Voice of God," and which emits vast sprouts of sulphurous smoke.

On the canvas was thrown the picture of a strange, bony fish. That fish was named for me, because it was believed that none, just like it had ever been seen before," he said. "I was happy in the thought that something was named for me, until a distinguished scientist happened to see the picture one day and remarked that it was a species of the sculpin. Since that time I haven't claimed any contribution to science."

The Pribilof Islands are the headquarters of the seal fisheries, said the speaker. The sealing, so-called, is done by the Aleuts, and only the young males are killed. "The so-called seals aren't fish at all," he said.

"They are more nearly like the bears, and the well developed human being

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On the day and hour above stated I will offer for sale at public auction this clause piece of home and investment property. The same consists of a two-story house of 8 rooms, very well lighted with gas, sewer, toilet and city water. In excellent condition; also good sized stone, situated on the corner of West Third and Jewett streets, being No. 95 on West Third street; a three-tenement block adjacent to the above at Nos. 1-3-5-7 Jewett street, containing three rooms and sink room to each tenement besides small stores, also a cottage house at No. 3 Jewett street, comprising four good sized rooms and pantry with gas etc., stable and hen house. There is a total of 6634 sq. ft. of land with an elegant embossed frontage of approximately 140 feet on the two streets. The property is in perfect repair inside and out and is always rented, insomuch as it is situated so close to all the mills and factories wherein one can easily walk to their work and yet be in a good locality. This sale presents a most unusual opportunity for anyone to purchase a piece of property for your home and have an income from the stores and other tenements which would not only defray all the expenses of the estate, but also pay you good interest on the money invested besides. At- tend this sale as it is seldom a chance of this kind is offered.

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holds more relation to the money than does the seal to a man. And the seal, like a seal at all. The real seal is the long halved kind.

Many beautiful pictures showing the foliage of Pribilof Islands were shown. These flowers grow in great profusion, notwithstanding the fact that there is very little sun, and the climate is cold. Salmon berries, which are much like raspberries, were also shown. These were said to be uncommonly delicious.

Mr. Hamlin was roundly applauded as he concluded and he was followed by Mr. Lascelles with a talk upon Shakespeare. At 10 o'clock a buffet lunch was served, and the remainder of the evening was enjoyed with music and story.

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